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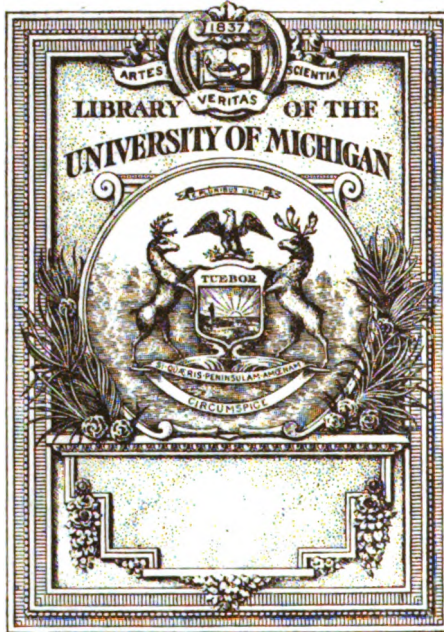
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### THURSDAY MORNING.

Indianapolis, Indiana,

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The Seventieth Session of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, assembled in the State House in the city of Indianapolis on Thursday, the 4th day of January, A. D., 1917, at 10:00 a. m.; being the day fixed by the Constitution for the meeting of the same.

The House of Representatives was then called to order by Honorable Ed. Jackson, Secretary of State.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. L. C. Howe, pastor of the Christian Church, Kokomo, Indiana.

The State song was rendered by the Lotus Quartette of Indianapolis.

The song "America" sung by the members of the House, the quartette and visitors.

The roll was then called and the following members answered to their names:

From the county of Boone, George E. Adams.

From the county of Madison, John S. Alldredge.

From the county of Elkhart, Emil V. Anderson.

From the counties of Dearborn and Ohio, J. Leonard Axby.

From the county of Greene, William H. Baker.

From the county of Wayne, William H. Bartel, Jr.

From the counties of Perry and Spencer George A. Bayer.

From the county of Cass, Walter J. Behmer.

From the counties of Decatur and Jennings, David M. Blackmore.

From the counties of Wells and Blackford, John M. Bonham.

From the county of Grant, Oliver Buller.

From the county of Clark, Amos H. Burtt.

From the county of Allen, Melville N. Clapp.

From the counties of Fountain and Parke, Charles N. Coggins.

From the county of Vigo, Otis Cook.

From the county of Hancock, George H. Cooper.

From the counties of Scott and Jefferson, Joseph M. Cravens.

From the county of Vigo, John L. Cronin.

From the county of Sullivan, David N. Curry.

From the county of Jay, Chester N. Davis.

From the county of Lake, Edwin C. Davis.

From the county of Lake, James I. Day.

From the counties of LaPorte and Starke, John B. Dilworth.

From the county of Shelby, Maurice Douglas.

From the county of Vanderburg, John P. Downey.

From the county of Marion, Luke M. Duffey.

- From the county of Putnam, Andrew E. Durham.
- From the county of Marion, Harry B. Dynes.
- From the counties of Cass and Carroll, Elmer E. Eickenberry.
- From the county of Vanderburgh, Eugene J. Eisterhold.
- From the county of Kosciusko, Jesse E. Eschbach.
- From the county of Marion, R. Felix Geddes.
- From the counties of Monroe and Brown, Frank H. Gentry.
- From the county of St. Joseph, Marion S. Gorski.
- From the counties of Fulton and Miami, Burton Green.
- From the counties of Owen, Greene and Sullivan, George E. Griffin.
- From the county of DeKalb, Cleve H. Grube.
- From the county of Marion, George N. Montgomery.
- From the county of Allen, Francis E. Moore.
- From the county of Lawrence, J. W. Mosier.
- From the county of Vermillion, John W. Mushett.
- From the county of Hamilton, Artemus H. Myers.
- From the county of Vigo, Patrick O'Leary.
- From the county of Posey, L. T. Osborn.
- From the counties of Lake and Porter, John J. Overmyer.
- From the counties of Madison and Tipton, Horace G. Read.
- From the county of Jackson, Joseph M. Robertson.
- From the counties of Washington and Crawford, John Ryan.
- From the county of Lake, Andrew H. Sambor.
- From the county of Marion, Alexander M. Scott.
- From the county of Marion, Richard V. Sipe.
- From the county of Laporte, James E. Southard.
- From the county of Madison, William M. Swain.
- From the county of Henry, Luther F. Symons.
- From the county of Floyd, Charles R. Turner.
- From the county of Allen, Dick M. Vesey.
- From the county of Adams, Joseph W. Walker.
- From the county of Vanderburgh, Louis B. Waltz.
- From the county of Knox, Abe J. Westfall.
- From the counties of Ripley and Switzerland, Joseph J. Westrick.
- From the counties of Vanderburgh and Warrick, William E. Williams.
- From the county of Wabash, John W. Winesburg.
- From the county of Marion, William D. Woods.
- From the counties of Jasper, Newton and Benton, William L. Wood.
- From the county of Clay, Frank Wright.
- From the county of Clinton, Russell P. Harker.
- From the county of Gibson, Harvey Harmon.
- From the county of Lake, J. Glenn Harris.
- From the counties of Dubois and Orange, Christian H. Hartke.
- From the county of St. Joseph, Gustav F. Haslanger.
- From the counties of Knox and Pike, Christian D. Henke.
- From the county of St. Joseph, George Y. Hepler.
- From the county of Morgan, Thomas P. Hessong.
- From the county of Noble, John H. Hoffman.
- From the county of Johnson, Robert B. Hougham.
- From the counties of Daviess and Martin, Hileary G. Houghton.

From the county of Marion, Martin J. Hyland.

From the county of Marshall, Ralph R. Jacoby.

From the county of Marion, Donald Jameson.

From the county of Rush, William R. Jinnett.

From the county of Grant, Charles A. Johnson.

From the counties of Pulaski and White, Elmer Johnson.

From the county of Miami, Ira A. Kessler.

From the county of Tippecanoe, Frank Kimmel.

From the county of Huntington, Otto H. Krieg.

From the county of Marion, Charles H. Kuhlman.

From the counties of Wayne and Union, Oliver P. Lafuze.

From the counties of Lagrange and Steuben, Robert W. McClaskey.

From the county of Delaware, Charles A. McGonagle.

From the counties of Allen and Whitley, Phil M. McNagny.

From the counties of Franklin and Fayette, James K. Mason.

From the county of Hendricks, Charles L. Mendenhall.

From the county of Montgomery, William J. Miles.

From the counties of Tippecanoe and Warren, Henry A. Miller.

From the county of Howard, Newman T. Miller.

From the county of Delaware, Jacob D. Miltenberger.

From the county of Randolph, Frank E. Wright.

From the county of Elkhart, Jonathan S. Yoder.

Absent:

From the counties of Floyd and Harrison, William Habermel.

From the county of Bartholomew, Errol A. Tucker.

The Secretary of State directed the members to arise and receive the oath of office, which was administered by Judge Lawson Harvey, of the State Supreme Court.

The Secretary of State announced that the House was now ready for nomination for Speaker for the session. Mr. Alexander Scott nominated Jesse E. Eschbach of Kosciusko County.

Mr. Andrew Durham of Putnam County nominated Joseph H. Cravens, of Jefferson County.

The Secretary of State ordered the roll of the House to be called for the election of a speaker.

Those voting for Mr. Eschbach were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Pulaski, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Yoder. Total 64.

Those voting for Mr. Cravens were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cronin, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Eschbach, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total 32.



Absent and not voting:

Messrs. Cooper, Curry, Habermel, Tucker. Total 4.

The Secretary of State announced that Mr. Eschbach was duly elected Speaker.

The Secretary of State appointed Mr. Cravens and Mr. Scott to escort the Speaker to the Speaker's desk.

The oath was administered to Mr. Eschbach by Judge Harvey of the State Supreme Court.

In assuming the office of Speaker, Mr. Eschbach said:

Gentlemen of the 70th General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

You have bestowed upon me a great honor carrying with it grave responsibilities.

For the honor I thank you most sincerely. With your co-operation and help we will meet the responsibilities and discharge them with no thought except the highest welfare of this commonwealth and its citizens.

Progress, economy and efficiency will be the watchwords of this House. When the gavel falls on the last act of the 70th General Assembly the presiding officer hopes every member can say, he was impartial and just, and the citizenship of Indiana will say, our burdens are lighter, our homes and institutions more secure, our future brighter because of the efforts of these, our servants.

The Speaker announced that the nominations for Principal Clerk of the House are now in order.

Mr. Miller nominated Don P. Strode for Principal Clerk.

Mr. Waltz nominated Mr. Arthur Hamrick.

The Speaker ordered that the roll of the House be called.

Those voting for Mr. Strode were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 62.

Those voting for Mr. Hamrick were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Total 30.

Those not voting were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Eisterhold, Eschbach, Grube, Habermel, Ryan, Tucker. Total 8.

The Speaker announced that Mr. Strode having received a majority of votes cast was duly elected Principal Clerk of the House.

The Speaker announced that the next thing in order was the election of an Assistant Clerk of the House.

Mr. McGonagle nominated J. Monroe Fitch for Assistant Clerk of the House.

Mr. Harmon nominated Mr. Lynn West.

The question being on the election of an Assistant Clerk of the House.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting for Mr. Fitch were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eschbach, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sanbor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 64.

Those voting for Mr. West were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total 33.

Those not voting were:

Messrs. Habermel, Lafuze, Tucker. Total 3.

The Speaker announced that Mr. Fitch having received a majority of all the votes cast, was duly elected Assistant Clerk of the House.

The Speaker announced the next thing in order was the election of the Chief Doorkeeper of the House.

Mr. Montgomery nominated Robert H. Acre.

Mr. A. J. Westfall nominated Mr. Evelo.

The question being on the election of a doorkeeper of the House.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting for Mr. Acre were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sanbor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 61.

Those voting for Mr. Evelo were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total 33.

Those not voting were:

Messrs. Bayer, Clapp, Eschbach, Habermel, Mosier, Tucker. Total 6.

The Speaker announced that Mr. Acre having received a majority of all the votes cast has been duly elected Doorkeeper of the House.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the Clerk, Assistant Clerk and Chief Doorkeeper be sworn and the oath was administered by the Speaker of the House.

Mr. Myers offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the rules of the House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth General Assembly be adopted for the government of the present House until further ordered, and that a committee of four (4) shall be appointed by the Speaker, who, together with the Speaker shall constitute the committee on rules for the purpose of reporting to the House any needed changes or additions to the rules thereof.

MYERS.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. McGonagle, Vesey, Mendenhall and Cravens.

Mr. J. J. Overmyer offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a committee of three (3) be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Senate and inform that body that the House of Representatives is organized and ready to receive any communications, and that the following officers have been elected by the House.

Speaker . . . . . Jesse E. Eschbach.  
Chief Clerk . . . . Don P. Strode.  
Assistant Clerk J. Monroe Fitch.  
Doorkeeper . . . . Robert Acre.

OVERMYER.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Duffey, Bonham and Waltz.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a committee of four (4) be appointed to wait upon the Senate and invite the members thereof, together with the Lieutenant-Governor to attend a joint session of the General Assembly in the hall of the House to hear the Governor in the presentation of his biennial message, and to request the appointment of four (4) members of the Senate to act with said committee of the House to wait upon the Governor for the purpose of ascertaining when it will suit his convenience to make known whatever communication he may have to offer to the General Assembly and at the convenience of the Governor to escort him to the hall of the House of Representatives.

MILLER of Howard.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Davis of Lake, Dynes, Cravens and Westfall.

Mr. Davis of Lake offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the joint rules of the Senate and House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth General Assembly be adopted as the rules of the Seventieth Assembly, and that a committee of three (3) members on joint rules of the Senate and House of Representatives be appointed by the Speaker to confer with a like committee on the part of the Senate to formulate any necessary additions or changes in the joint rules for the two (2) bodies, and that the Chief Clerk inform the Senate of this action.

DAVIS.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. McGonagle, McClaskey and Durham.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

We are directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate is organized and ready to receive any communications.

CULBERTSON,  
ENGLISH,  
MCCRAY,  
MASTON.

Mr. Davis from the committee to inform the Governor made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee appointed to wait upon the Governor to learn when it will suit the Governor's convenience to make known whatever communication he may have to offer to the General Assembly, begs leave to report that they have fulfilled their mission, and that the Governor is ready at this time to communicate with the General Assembly.

EDWIN C. DAVIS,  
HARRY B. DYNES,  
ABE J. WESTFALL,  
JOSEPH M. CRAVENS.

The report of the committee was adopted.

The members of the Senate being seated in the Hall of the House of Representatives, the Lieutenant-Governor called the joint session of the two houses to order and announced that the joint convention of the two houses had assembled for the purpose of hearing the message of the Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor presented Governor Samuel M. Ralston who delivered his biennial message as follows:

## EXECUTIVE MESSAGE.

Gentlemen of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I am discharging a constitutional duty imposed upon me as the chief executive of the state in communicating with you at this time. And at the outset of what I have to say to you I desire to felicitate you upon the favorable conditions under which you take up your work as the chosen lawmakers of our commonwealth. Heretofore, covering a period of more than eighty years, every legislature has been confronted with a serious financial question demanding solution, that the affairs of state might be properly conducted and her obligations discharged.

With you the situation is quite different. You will not be called upon to devise new methods and assume responsibilities for raising money for debt-paying purposes; but it will be your duty to determine to what extent and in what respect you can reduce taxation, in keeping with sound business principles. It is a much more pleasing task to remove than it is to impose burdens, and I congratulate you that the former one is your good fortune.

This condition has not come about by accident, but it is the result of a sound, wise and courageous policy adopted by the sixty-eighth General Assembly and pursued by those administering the affairs of state. It required the readjustment of tax levies and the borrowing of money and the continued calling for advanced payments from the counties from time to time until the new system became adjusted.

## ADVANCED LEGISLATION.

This administration has given to the people divers new agencies of government in obedience to their demand, among them being a vocational education law, a public utility law and a workmen's compensation law; and through them, and the general policy



to which it has adhered, it has placed Indiana among the most progressive states of the nation.

Because of the broad lines along which it has carried forward its work this administration has not only had to liquidate appropriations of previous administrations and meet the usual running expenses, but it has incurred these new expenses and has also paid off both the foreign and domestic indebtedness of the State.

#### EXTRAORDINARY DISBURSEMENTS

I will be pardoned from naming some of the unusual items that have been paid during the present administration, to-wit:

##### APPROPRIATIONS OF 1911 MADE FOR

Constructive work at Indiana University.....	\$27,200.00
Constructive work at Purdue University.....	100,000.00
Constructive work at benevolent and correctional institutions.....	293,074.73
Cost, maintenance, construction and equipment of the Indiana State Farm.....	339,077.38
Additional land and buildings for Epileptic Institution.....	196,495.47
Maintenance of Robert W. Long Hospital, annual approximate expense...	60,000.00
Colony for Insane at Eastern Hospital for Insane.	68,447.60
Specific appropriations of 1913.....	169,022.00

##### PAYMENT ON FOREIGN DEBT

July, 1913.....	\$150,000.00
January, 1914.....	120,000.00
July, 1914.....	150,000.00
January, 1915.....	130,000.00
Liquidation of Indiana University bonds.....	144,000.00
Liquidation of Vincennes University bonds.....	120,000.00

Interest paid on above debt.....	\$85,067.92
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Total.....	\$2,152,385.10
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In addition to the above, there should be added:

On appropriation for Gettysburg Commission that the old soldiers might live over again in mind their experiences on this historic battlefield.....	\$17,681.48
On appropriations for the Panama-Pacific Exposition.....	122,974.28
On appropriation to pay for animals killed on account of foot and mouth disease.....	93,588.44

Without naming other items, this makes a grand total of.....	\$2,386,629.30
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#### HEALTHY CONDITION OF STATE TREASURY.

Notwithstanding the inadequate tax levy in force at the beginning of this administration and the many additional and unusual demands made upon the State during the past four years, on account of the increase in the number of institutions and wards of the State and the constant increase in the cost of living, I am gratified to call your attention to the fact that at the end of each fiscal year the state treasury has shown a healthy increase in its annual balances.

September 30, 1913, a balance of.....	\$378,271.07
September 30, 1914, a balance of.....	694,964.69
September 30, 1915, a balance of.....	1,156,516.30
September 30, 1916, a balance of.....	2,396,106.82
December 30, 1916, a balance of.....	5,699,976.74

## REDUCTIONS RECOMMENDED.

In the sinking fund there is at this time over \$322,000; and the levy now in force will practically double that amount by January 1, 1918. This fund was created, as you will recall, for the purpose of raising money to apply on the outstanding indebtedness of the State, but since the State now has no unpaid debts, the sinking fund tax of 1½ cents on each one hundred dollars should be repealed and the money now on hand in such fund should be transferred to the general fund, unless its use is otherwise provided for.

I also recommend a reduction of one cent in the tax levy for the general fund. Perhaps a larger reduction than this should be made in this fund, but it is probably safer to stop with the reduction suggested.

The legislature that enacted the vocational education law fixed the tax rate for this work at one cent on the hundred dollars. This rate yielded in 1914, \$100,978; in 1915, \$194,097.00; and in 1916, \$201,027.75; and there is at this time in the vocational education fund a balance of \$324,546.74. It is apparent, therefore, that this levy should be reduced at least one-half cent, leaving the rate at one-half cent on each one hundred dollars.

These three reductions would make a total saving of three cents on each one hundred dollars or an annual saving to the tax payers of at least \$600,000.00. I urge you to give this relief.

## PURDUE ENDOWMENT FUND.

During the recent campaign more or less controversy was indulged in on the hustings regarding the fund known as the Purdue University endowment fund, but we have now reached a time when we are called upon to consider it free from partisan bias.

This fund was derived from the sale of swamp lands, granted to the State

by the federal government. The Congress of the United States by its act of July 2, 1862, granted to Indiana certain swamp land and land scrip. You are specially interested in this provision of this act, to-wit:

"All moneys derived from the sale of lands aforesaid by the states to which the lands are apportioned, and from the sales of land scrip, hereinbefore provided for, shall be invested in stocks of the United States or of the states, or some other safe stocks; or the same may be invested by the states having no state stocks, in any other manner after the legislatures of such states shall have assented thereto, and engaged that such funds shall yield not less than five (5) per centum upon the amount so invested and that the principal thereof shall remain forever unimpaired: Provided, That the moneys so invested or loaned shall constitute a perpetual fund, the capital of which shall remain forever undiminished (except so far as may be provided in section five (5) of this act), and the interest of which shall be inviolably appropriated, by each state which may take and claim the benefit of this act, to the endowment, support, and maintenance of at least one college where the leading object shall be without excluding other scientific and classical studies, and including military tactics, to teach such branches of learning as are related to agriculture and the mechanics arts, in such manner as the legislature of the states may respectively prescribe, in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions in life."

I have asked the former Attorney-General of Indiana, Hon. Evan B. Stotsenburg, for his opinion as to whether or not this fund constitutes a debt against the State in the sense that it can be liquidated by the State; and if it does not, then for his opinion as to how this fund can be handled in the

future so as best to conserve the interest of the State and at the same time protect the rights of the University. In response to my request he has, in a measure, reviewed the legislation regarding the fund and I quote the part of his opinion with which you are most vitally concerned:

"Under the Act of Congress of July 2, 1862, the proceeds of the lands donated thereby, was given to the State for the specific purpose mentioned in said act, the same to constitute a perpetual fund, 'the capital of which shall remain for ever undiminished.' The principal of this fund amounts to \$340,000.00. It is my opinion that this fund is in the nature of a trust fund, and that it is beyond the power of the State to defeat the purposes of said grant by giving said fund to any institution or otherwise. The effect of the Act of the General Assembly of this State of March 6th, 1865, was to create the trustees of the Indiana Agricultural College as agents for the State, to receive on behalf of the state the land donated, to sell the same and to invest the proceeds. The trustees of that college, now Purdue University, have been acting in that capacity since the authority was first given them. It is my opinion that any attempted action of the legislature to confer the title of this fund on the trustees of said university was ineffective and void. It being beyond the power of the legislature to grant the principal of this fund to Purdue University, no debt or obligation against the State was created thereby and therefore there is no obligation of the State which is due and owing from the State. It is my further opinion that the General Assembly at any time may provide for the investment of said fund in mortgage security, the annual interest to be paid to Purdue University."

There is available in the treasury of the State at this time funds in excess of and including said sum of \$340,000.00.

This money is on deposit in the public depositories and is only drawing the rate of interest provided by law, while the State is paying to Purdue University 5 per cent annual interest thereon. The trust fund derived from the sale of such swamp lands should be invested so as to produce at least 6 per cent interest annually and such interest should be paid to Purdue University as the institution entitled to receive the benefit of the increment of the fund created by said grant. I would recommend that your body take such action in reference to this fund that would provide for the investment and preservation of said \$340,000.00, the amount of said fund. It is my opinion that such fund should be invested and protected the same as the common school fund is, that is by distribution among the counties and making the counties responsible for the principal and interest thereof. In any act passed, the good faith of the State should be pledged to Purdue University that it will be continued as the beneficiary of the interest derived from said fund. If some action is not taken, it will be necessary for the State to continue to pay the difference between the 5 per cent interest that is required to pay Purdue University and the amount it is receiving as interest on said fund from the public depositories.

#### SALE OF STATE LANDS.

There should be a change made in the law relating to the sale by the auditor of state of lands belonging to the State known as swamp and indemnity lands, lands which have escheated to the State, and all other lands belonging to the State and not set apart for State purposes.

Several laws have, from time to time, been enacted concerning the sale of these lands. These laws are not uniform in character, and frequently lead to confusion. They differ as to the names and

places of sale and as to the appraisalment of the value of the lands.

In one of the laws it is provided that before the auditor of state shall sell any of such lands, the auditor of the county in which the lands are situate, shall cause the value of same to be appraised by appointing disinterested persons as appraisers. In another law it is provided that the county commissioners of the county in which some of said lands are situate shall appoint the appraisers before the sale is made. And in still another law, it is provided that certain state lands lying along the Kankakee river may be sold by the auditor of state without any appraisalment having been made.

It has been the custom of the county auditors and county commissioners in the sale of State lands under the two acts first above referred to, to appoint appraisers residing in the county where the land is situate. It has been my observation that these lands in many instances, are appraised at a very low figure and often at less than their true value.

The different laws now in force, relating to the sale of such lands, should in the best interests of the State, be repealed by the enactment of a uniform law providing for the sale of all of such lands by the auditor of state, providing for the manner and place of sale and directing the auditor of state to appoint appraisers, who are residents of the State of Indiana, but not necessarily residents of the county where the real estate is situate, to appraise the value of the lands before sale is made. Such lands should be sold at public sale, after due and proper notice and for not less than the full appraised value thereof. The auditor of state should have authority to reject any and all bids.

#### DRAINAGE THROUGH STATE LANDS.

The Kankakee river flows in a south-westerly direction across the west line of the State, forming a boundary of

the counties of St. Joseph, Laporte, Starke, Porter, Jasper, Lake and Newton.

The river drains approximately 2,000,000 acres of land of which more than 400,000 acres is marsh land, which was at one time subject to overflow. About one-third of this marsh land has been re-claimed and is under cultivation, one-third is in a partial state of cultivation, but subject to occasional overflow while the remainder is waste land.

Much of this land, has from time to time, been drained and is now in a high state of cultivation.

There are approximately 20,000 acres of meander lands lying along this river, which belong to the State. Lands immediately separated from the river, by the lands belonging to the State, cannot be drained without the construction of drains through said State lands. As there is no law authorizing the construction of drains across State lands, those owning property so adjoining are unable to drain their lands.

I would, therefore, suggest that an act be passed, giving courts jurisdiction to establish drains on and across State lands when the facts so warrant, all of which to be done at no expense to the State.

#### BANKING DEPARTMENT.

The number of banks and trust companies of the State are constantly increasing. Every new one organized and chartered adds to the responsibility of the department of state having supervision thereof. The rights of depositors in these institutions are sacred and the State must be vigilant in its efforts to safeguard them by the most modern methods of supervision, examinations and otherwise.

The banking department of the State is now under the control of the auditor of state, but its importance to the people is such, that in my judgment, it should be made a separate department and placed on a non-partisan basis; and I recommend that this be done.



## THE STATE FARM.

The Indiana state farm is a new institution. It is designed for the reception and reformation of petty offenders above the age of sixteen, who otherwise would be confined in county jails and workhouses. These latter institutions have ceased to be looked upon favorably for any other purpose than detention stations. They are better adapted to breeding than to reforming criminals and for this reason among others, those who have made a study of the criminal classes and of the best methods of handling them, both in the interest of the law violators and of society, advocate their restraint under conditions that will require them to work and thereby to compensate the state in some measure for the expense to which they have put the public.

This farm embraces sixteen hundred and two and a fraction acres. It was thrown open for the reception of prisoners on April 12, 1915; and to give you an idea of the demands made upon it, you need only to be told that the new admissions thereto the first six months (the last half of the fiscal year) numbered 1,174 and those of the second year 2,322. They were short termers of course.

These men must be kept at work at something for their own welfare as well as in justice to the public. The farm is adapted for making lime, brick and tile and for fruit growing. You will be asked to favor the establishment of certain industries to be carried on by this institution and you will render a real public service by doing so.

## WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW.

The 69th General Assembly enacted a most excellent workmen's compensation law and it has been so well administered that within two short years Indiana has taken her position well in the forefront of those states having similar

laws. Under that act every employer shall either insure or keep insured his liability thereunder in some corporation, association or organization authorized to transact the business of workmen's compensation insurance in this state, or shall furnish to the industrial board satisfactory proof of his financial ability to pay direct the compensation in the amount and manner and when due as provided therein.

One company writing such insurance has already failed and has yet outstanding liabilities in this state. Therefore, to the end that the employer who buys compensation insurance will absolutely secure the indemnity for which he pays and that the employees will be guaranteed the compensation provided by the act I recommend that casualty companies writing employer's liability insurance be required to establish a reserve with the Auditor of State to make safe and secure their compensation liabilities in this State.

## BLUE SKY LAW.

Four years ago I sought to have enacted what is known in legislative parlance as a blue sky law, and the legislature passed such an act. Upon studying it, however, I became convinced it was unconstitutional and on that ground I vetoed it. But I am still of the opinion that the public is entitled to have a valid law enacted on this subject.

A corporation is a creature of the State and has only such powers as the State bestows upon it. And when it seeks to do business in a foreign state, the latter state should prescribe the conditions in which it may therein transact the same.

Corporation securities should not be offered for sale, unless there is sufficient property back of them to justify their issue. An investigation will disclose that this subject affords a fruitful field for legislation.

## MARRIAGE LAWS.

A supplemental act to the marriage laws of our State should be passed requiring: First, the female to have been a bona fide resident of the county in which the license is granted for at least sixty (60) days before the granting of the license. Second, an affidavit showing the fact, giving the actual place of residence in the county of such female and signed by a householder of such county, who has actual knowledge of the truth of such statement. Third, the law should provide a heavy penalty against the clerk of the circuit court, if he issue such license without such sworn application and statement. Fourth, there should also be a heavy penalty imposed against such householder, if a false affidavit is made.

## IMPEACHMENT OF OFFICIALS.

The constitution imposes upon the executive the obligation that "He shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed," but neither the constitution nor the statutes of the State afford him an adequate method for discharging that obligation. Our present impeachment laws are so unsatisfactory that it is practically impossible to bring about the removal of a public official for misfeasance, malfeasance, or nonfeasance.

Much of the lawlessness of the State is directly due to the failure of local officials to do their duty and to the consciousness of the lawless class that the public is without adequate means of getting rid of the corrupt official or the official, who, if he is not in active sympathy with crime, winks at its commission.

The executive of this State has frequently had to call out the state militia to suppress open and notorious violations of the law and riotous conduct due to the breaking down of law and order

through the failure of local officers to discharge their duty. The calling out of the militia is not only expensive but it is an exceedingly hazardous thing to do. When the State draws the sword, it cannot again be sheathed until order is restored, if need be, through bloodshed and slaughter. You should pass an effective impeachment act.

I call your attention at this time to the fact that the horse thief detective associations of the State will probably ask you to enact a law, in the interest of the suppression of crime, of a constabulary character and there is just ground for such legislation.

## BOARD OF ACCOUNTS.

The public accounting law of Indiana was enacted at the request of the civic and business interests of the State, and has accomplished all that was expected of it. The department created by it has been efficiently administered and the result of its constant labors would cause the public to marvel if made known. During the present administration the number of employees has been reduced practically 50 per cent, and its service to the public is now greater than ever before.

The law originally provided that the contents of all reports made to the department should be made public, but the legislature of 1911 modified that feature of the law by prohibiting publicity by the department of the contents of a report containing charges against an official. This has led to the continual embarrassment of those in charge of the work and has at times subjected them to the eye of suspicion. Publicity is one of the greatest deterrents of dishonesty in public office, and I recommend that you again authorize the immediate publicity of all reports made by that department. The law should not be modified in any other respect.

## THE PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.

At the last session of the General Assembly an additional appropriation was made for the proper representation of Indiana at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, held at San Francisco in 1915.

While the total appropriation by our legislative department in behalf of this great world's fair was but a modest one compared with that of many other states, yet the people of Indiana had no cause to be ashamed of our part in that great event. Our state building was one of the most comfortable ones there, and was in itself an exhibit of Indiana's resources. And our exhibits were no less creditable to the educational, artistic, industrial and agricultural interests of the Hoosier State.

The celebration of Indiana Day at the exposition was admitted to have been one of the largest attended and most successful of all the state-day events. Governor Johnson, who participated in the day's exercises, seemed unusually impressed by the spirit and magnitude of the occasion.

That a balance of over \$11,000 of the exposition's appropriation was turned back into the State's general fund is evidence that there was no disposition on the part of the commission to abuse the trust confided to its care by the General Assembly of 1913, which created it.

## THE INDIANA HISTORICAL COMMISSION.

The General Assembly of 1915 created a non-salaried historical commission and made it the "duty of the commission to edit and publish in such form as it may determine, documentary and other materials on the history of the State of Indiana. \* \* \* And required it to prepare and execute plans for an historical and educational celebration of

the centennial of the State." Twenty-five thousand dollars was appropriated for this work, five thousand dollars of which was authorized to be used by the commission for the publishing and binding of documentary and other materials on the history of Indiana.

Upon its organization the commission inaugurated a state-wide campaign of centennial publicity and assisted quite liberally in certain celebrations that bore a close relation to the State as a whole. Through the efforts of the commission a state pageant master was procured and the people of Indiana and their educators aroused for the first time to an interest in the pageant movement.

The work of this commission has stirred up generally an unusual interest in the history of our State. Much was added to the thought, brilliance and vision of the literature of Indiana by the centennial ode written for and the masterful address on "The Foundation of the Commonwealth," delivered at the admission day exercises.

In the language of the secretary of the commission:

"It has been responsible for the erection of a large number of centennial memorials over the State and perhaps its most permanent and far-reaching work has been the inauguration of a permanent State parks movement, which has already resulted in securing for the State, as a gift from the people of the State, real estate which has cost more than twice the amount appropriated for the use of the commission for centennial celebration purposes."

The commission has begotten in the people a historic consciousness and state pride which they never before possessed and which must not be lost in the future.

I therefore recommend that such modifications be made in the act creating this commission as may be found necessary to enable it to carry on its work in the future; that a sufficient

continuing appropriation be made therefor; that the commission or some other legally constituted authority be vested with power to condemn lands for public park purposes; and that a law be enacted for the government or control of the public parks of the State.

#### OLD STATE HOUSE AT CORYDON.

And in this connection, I beg to suggest to you that one of the most appropriate and permanent memorials possessing real historic value, and possible for the State to own, is the old state house at Corydon. It is in almost perfect condition and will stand for many centuries to come with proper care. Within its walls our pioneer statesmen assembled and out of their deliberations, wisdom and unselfish patriotism came our State's first constitution, and therein, too, occurred the birth of Indiana statehood. The people will rejoice if the State shall acquire and preserve this building.

#### STATE DEPARTMENT OF ROADS.

The good roads movement inaugurated a few years ago has aroused much interest for a better system of highways and it bids fair to become one of the most potential factors in the social and commercial affairs of the people. It has already become nation-wide in its sweep, enlarging the sphere of activities in thousands of communities.

The facilities of transportation determine very largely the position a people hold in the progress of their country. Good roads are the result of their far-sightedness. They are the outgrowth of necessity and the source of happiness and prosperity; but their construction and up-keep always constitute a problem of importance.

Indiana expends annually more than \$15,000,000 on her highways. It is common knowledge that the continuous

loss in the expenditure of this vast sum, due to poor material and faulty construction, is irreparable and has become oppressive. The demand, therefore, is imperative and for expert ability in the building and the maintenance of the roads of this State. Our roads must be made to conform to approved standards both as to types and quality.

This administration has been anxious to see a system of highways established in this State, under the guidance of expert ability and in keeping with economic methods. This will make it necessary, in my opinion, to have created by your honorable body a state department of roads, with power to receive and expend for road purposes any moneys appropriated therefor, including that by the federal government; and to furnish plans and specifications and expert advice, when called upon for the same by local authorities; and otherwise to be an active force in the development of an up-to-date system of roads for Indiana. The department should be organized on a non-partisan basis.

#### BOARD OF STATE CHARITIES.

The board of state charities is composed of a body of men and women who without compensation give much of their time to looking after the welfare of the State's wards both within and without the institutions of the State. It would be a hopeless task to undertake to estimate the value of its services to these wards and particularly to the helpless and suffering childhood of the State.

The board does much of its work through a salaried agency that is charged with the duty of looking after dependent children. At this time it has eight agents employed for this work. They inspect the 33 orphan homes receiving public awards and in addition thereto find homes for children.

During the nineteen years this agency has been at work, it has placed in homes

3,621 children and thereby afforded these unfortunates the superior advantages of home life over institutional life; and has effected an estimated saving to the State of \$211,374.00. The board has asked for an increased appropriation of \$2,000 to carry on this work and I hope you will grant the request.

I also want to call your attention to certain recommendations the board has made to the Governor for the consideration of the General Assembly, published in its annual report of September 30, 1915; and to assure you that you will have a more enlightened understanding of some of the duties you will be called upon to perform when you read and reflect upon these recommendations.

#### TO REIMBURSE HENRY W. BULLOCK.

The General Assembly at the sixty-eighth session by Chapter 333 approved March 16, 1913, authorized the Governor to appoint a commission consisting of five persons whose duty it should be to make inquiry and investigation regarding the laws of Indiana and other industrial states and in foreign countries regarding industrial accidents and the compensation of injured employes.

Pursuant to that act I appointed a commission consisting of five persons which commission entered actively upon their duties; but in December, 1913, the attention of the state auditor was called to the fact that the title of the act did not correspond with the provisions of the act.

The act as originally introduced, provided for a complete workmen's compensation act and the title has not been changed. The auditor thereupon refused to issue any warrants for the expenses of the commission.

The chairman of the commission, Henry W. Bullock, continued the investigation at his own expense but he has not been paid therefor. He is

ready to lay before you a statement of his expenses, paid out of his personal funds, and I hope you may feel free to make an appropriation sufficient to reimburse him for his reasonable expenditures.

#### SUPREME AND APPELLATE COURT JUDGES.

The character of a people is reflected in its courts. The course of administration of justice brings credit to or casts discredit upon a people. The stability of property rights and of liberty itself is dependent upon the wisdom and integrity of the courts. The courts of Indiana have commanded the services of some of the State's greatest minds and their decisions are among those most frequently cited by courts of last resort in other states. It is fitting therefore, that the judges of our supreme and appellate courts be paid a salary in keeping with the services required of them and that will continue to command a high order of ability in these courts. Their present salary of \$6,000 per year was fixed in 1903, fourteen years ago. The average salary paid supreme court judges in thirteen of the the leading states, not including Indiana, is in excess of \$8,100 per year. In my judgment you should provide a salary for the supreme and appellate court judges of \$7,500 per year.

#### STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

For practically sixty years the state board of agriculture has labored for the betterment of the farming and live stock and household interests of the State. Its annual state fair has drawn thousands of people for interchange of ideas and exhibition of products, and has been a source of inspiration to those interested in the material progress of the State. This board has acquired and now holds property of an estimated value of \$750,000, of which the State has

appropriated but \$100,000, which was spent in the erection of a live-stock pavilion.

The board is now very much in need of a building wherein may be exhibited the handicraft of Indiana's women.

The state fair grounds is situate at the very door of the capital city and its buildings are opened to many public and civic meetings. It is imperative, therefore, that attention be given to the sanitary conditions of its buildings and grounds. I advise that you make an appropriation sufficient for the erection of a suitable women's building and the construction of an adequate sewer system.

### TAXATION.

The question of taxation is always a live question and it is well that this is so. The power to tax is the power to destroy. It is one of the most vital powers of government and its exercise naturally challenges the attention of every man who contributes to the support of his government.

I have no desire to enter into a discussion of this subject at this time, but I do want to give my approval to the principle and general provisions embraced in our present tax law. It is one of the soundest and most popular laws on the subject of taxation in this country, and to whatever extent it has worked unjustly the fault has been due to a failure properly to administer it. If all property were assessed on the same basis, as the law contemplates it should be, the tax rate would be fixed so low that the taxpayer would not fail to list his property for taxation regardless of its character.

The state tax board has asked for and should be given an additional power for a more equitable enforcement of this law.

The legislature of 1915 created a "commission on taxation" and empowered the Governor to appoint the

members thereof. The law of its creation makes it the duty of this commission to "investigate the problem of taxation in Indiana and (to) consider what changes in the constitution and laws relating to taxation are needed to make a just and equitable system of taxation." The report of the commission has been made to the Governor and the same will be laid before you for your consideration.

### CENTRAL BOARD OF CONTROL.

There is no problem of state affairs in which the people are more vitally interested than in that of the proper management of their penal, correctional and benevolent institutions. There is both a humane and a business element involved in their management. The importance of the humane element cannot be measured in dollars and cents. The business element calls for the soundest business principles and anything short of this is a rank injustice to those who bear their burdens. The importance of the humane element is made apparent when we reflect that the inmates of these institutions are increasing in number at an alarming rate. That of the business element becomes more apparent when we reflect that the people now have invested in these institutions in round numbers fourteen million dollars, and there is every indication that this investment will continue to increase for a period far beyond the immediate present.

In the report of the board of state charities of Indiana for the fiscal year 1915 attention is called to the fact that the State now faces no more serious problem than that involved in care of mental defectives. It points out the rapid increase of this class of wards and the burden they are socially and economically. The statement is made that they are costing the State three and one-third million dollars annually, and that the number of these unfortunates

is increasing faster than the State is providing for their care. This increase is largely attributed to bad heredity, syphilis and drug habits, including alcoholism. In obedience to the suggestion of the board of state charities the executive appointed a commission to study this problem and to make a report of its findings to the board of state charities and to the Governor by November 1st, 1916. The result of its labors may be found in the report it has made thereof and which will be, if it has not already been, laid before you. I ask that you give this report your most serious, enlightened and humane consideration. In the interest of society and humanity it challenges your best thought and widest scope of vision. This report but emphasizes the magnitude of the problem the State has to solve in dealing with its delinquent and defective classes; and it also emphasizes anew in my judgment the necessity that the management and control of these institutions shall be by the best possible methods. You are doubtless familiar with the methods now in force for the control of these institutions. Over each of them is a non-partisan board of trustees appointed by the Governor. These trustees are charged with the responsibility of caring for its physical and fiscal affairs, and with the keeping at the head of each of them a competent superintendent. As the name of this official implies he is responsible for the care of the wards under him. It is his duty to employ all his assistants, including his medical staff and all the attendants and those who assist in any way in the work for which he is responsible. He also has the power to discharge any or all of his working force. His salary and the wages of his working force are fixed by the board of trustees over him. I may say in passing, there are as many differences in the salaries fixed for superintendents as there are superintendents. In other words, the salaries of

no two are alike. The statutes fix the salaries of the trustees at \$300 each and allow each trustee for expenses annually \$125. Each board of trustees is composed of four members—not more than two of any one party—except one which has but three members, and there are eighteen different boards, not including the Robert W. Long Hospital.

My observation and experience in the management of these institutions during my term of office have lead me to advocate most earnestly the creation of a central board of control to have charge of them and the abolition of the different boards now in control thereof. This central board of control should be composed of not more than four members, and they should be chosen with regard to their peculiar fitness for the work expected of them. The board should be non-partisan; it should be required to give all its time to its work and the members thereof should be paid something more than a living salary. Both the humane element and the business element involved in the management of these institutions require the creation of this sort of a board.

In taking this position I do not intend any reflection upon any of those in charge of these institutions under the method now in force for their government. I would not intimate that there could not be improvement in the management of any of them, under present methods, but generally speaking and taking them as a whole, I think that the present trustees and superintendents are conducting them as satisfactorily as could reasonably be expected of any similar body of men and women that might be placed in like position.

I am not criticising, therefore the trustees and superintendents, but the method now in force under which they have to work. The present boards visit their institutions once every thirty days. They arrive at the institution as a rule in the evening of one day and depart

therefrom in the afternoon of the next day. They return to their homes, not to continue the work of the institution, but to carry on their own personal affairs.

If a single control board should be created its powers would of course be fixed by the statute, and unless it should be deemed wise to do so, it would have no more power over the heads of the institutions than the present boards now have over their respective superintendents. It goes without saying, that a central board would be expected to keep in closer touch with the institutions and its superintendents than it is possible for the present boards to do, and being thus in closer touch it follows naturally that it would be more familiar with the conduct and management thereof than it is possible for the present boards to be; and thus there would be afforded a means for greater efficiency under it than is possible under the present boards which are now on their job only one night and a part of a day in every thirty days.

I am not indifferent to the fact that there are many sincere and able advocates of the present method for the control of these institutions, but I think that I am not mistaken in declaring that the best modern thought on institutional life is favorable to the central board idea.

The central board would not interfere with the duties of a superintendent of an institution beyond its statutory powers; neither would it in any wise interfere with nor lessen the value of the work of our board of state charities. The statute creating the central board of control should be drawn so as not to narrow the field of operation of the board of state charities. These institutions are in need of a central board of control as well as a central board of supervision.

The board of state charities is a central board of supervision, and under the

statute of its creation its duty is to "investigate the whole system of public, charitable and correctional institutions of the State, examine into the condition and management thereof, especially of prisons, jails, infirmaries, public hospitals and asylums," and perform divers other duties not necessary here to mention. This board should not be deprived by the statute creating a central board of control, of any of the powers and duties it now has. I regard the board of state charities as indispensable to the proper management of these institutions. A governor soon becomes familiar with the value of its work and there is no reason for its not being able to render as effective service in conjunction with a central board of control over all the institutions as it now renders in conjunction with eighteen or nineteen different boards scattered over the State at as many different points. The state board of charities is located in the capitol building of the State where the central board of control would also have its offices and thus the two while discharging their respective duties in carrying forward their respective work would be easy of access to one another, and the institutions would thereby be enabled more often to have the advantage of their united judgment. By co-operation and co-ordination they become one complete and harmonious control.

What are some of the things that might reasonably be expected to result from the creation of a central board of control?

Everything that can be done now by the different boards from a humane viewpoint for the unfortunate wards of the State could more easily and on a broader scale and in a more responsive manner be done by a central board of control.

From a business viewpoint a central board in my judgment would result in a more economical management of these



institutions than it is possible to have under the present management; and this, too, without implying any fault on the part of those now in control of them.

A central board in buying flour for eighteen different institutions would be expected to buy it cheaper than a single board could buy flour for a single institution. This will hold good when it comes to meats, potatoes, and practically everything used for the support of the State's wards. The people of Indiana are entitled to have their fourteen-million-dollar investment in property and the millions appropriated every year for these institutions managed and expended under the most modern and approved methods. Anything short of this is the rankest sort of injustice to the people who pay the bills.

When the executive took his stand a few months ago in favor of a central board of control he was commended therefor by many public spirited and thoughtful people. A gentleman who had had wide experience as purchasing agent for an institution approved in the highest terms the central board idea, and pointed out in most forceful language the saving the State would be able to make through such a board. That he was a student of institutional affairs was apparent from the fact he showed he was familiar with the work of our board of state charities and the Indiana bulletin published by it. In a communication to the Governor, he says:

"By reference to the Indiana bulletin of September 15, 1915, on pages 471 and 473 you will find that

One institution paid an average of \$5.18 per bbl. for flour, another \$7.50; one institution paid an average of \$9.48 per 100 for fresh beef, another \$14.00; one institution paid an average of 39c for potatoes, another 66c; one institution paid an average of 17½c gal. for milk, another 22c; another used evaporated at 51 cents per gal., and one

institution paid an average of 14 cents lb. for tea, another 45 cents."

An examination will disclose similar variations in prices on all the supplies purchased for use in the different institutions. No business concern would long permit its purchasing agent to conduct its affairs in this manner.

I submit to you, that the forward-looking states are rapidly going to the dual system for the management of their penal, correctional and benevolent institutions. By a dual system I mean a system composed of a central board of control and a supervising board like our board of state charities. The sphere of action of these boards, you should remember, would most certainly bring about:

1. A standardization of supplies.
2. Standardization of methods of control of similar institutions.
3. Uniformity and impartiality in the treatment of inmates.
4. Progressive and up-to-date methods in management.
5. Closer co-operation between the central board of control and the board of state charities than it is possible to have between the latter board and the eighteen different boards of trustees.
6. Supplementary work of the two central boards with each other. The board of state charities gives special attention to the benevolent or the humanitarian side of the dependent or penal problem with advisory, possibly supervisory powers over the central board of control; while the latter's functions are to manage the business or administrative side of institution life.
7. Greater efficiency.
8. Economy.

"Without any concerted movement the dual plan has developed spontaneously in all parts of the country and is now the most generally accepted form of new enactments." It ought to be adopted in Indiana.

## INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR NEGRO CHILDREN.

The General Assembly of 1911 made a conditional appropriation of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing land for the establishment thereon of an industrial school for negro children. The appropriation was on condition that there was money available for the purpose. Under the terms of the appropriation law, the appropriation lapsed if not used during the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1912. During that period there was no money available for such purpose, and for such reason, said land was never purchased. I am glad to inform you that there are at this time in the treasury of the State ample funds available for the purpose, and your attention is directed to the subject, in order that you may take such steps as you desire in reference thereto. In this connection permit me to say that very little is being done in Indiana for the industrial and higher education of the negro children in the State. The State maintains splendid institutions for the higher education of its young men and women, but few colored children attend them. A State institution where colored children could be educated in industrial and vocational subjects would in the end be of great and lasting benefit not only to such children but to the State at large. In justice to the colored people this should be done.

## NATIONAL GUARD AND STATE ARMORY.

The members of the General Assembly, as well as the people of the State, may well be congratulated on the record for good service made by the first Indiana brigade of the national guard on the Mexican border. This is the first complete organized brigade ever furnished the national government from Indiana.

Under the command of able officers the Indiana boys, many of whom were without training, have in six months become trained and seasoned soldiers, in good health and spirits. Those who have returned and those who remain there have alike maintained Indiana's military reputation as far as opportunity permitted, and would continue to do so under active military duty.

By the Act of Congress, 1915, the federal government assumed a greater degree of control over the national guard than before. It provided for a large gradual increase in the number of guardsmen from the various states, Indiana's limit to be over 12,000 men, four times the present enlistment. This much or any substantial increase in the guard will require additional armory facilities and other maintenance expenses.

In that connection I desire to call your attention to the suggestion that a building of sufficient size to house all the state troops might well be constructed on the state fair ground nearby if not connected with the present coliseum, the same to be used for the dual purpose of an exhibition hall during state fair week and for the armory—both matters of state wide interest, if not duty. I ask you to give this suggestion the consideration its importance warrants, and take such action as your best judgment commends.

## A LINCOLN MEMORIAL.

The route traveled by Abraham Lincoln and his father's family, when they removed from near Gentryville, Indiana, to Macon county, Illinois, is a matter of historic interest; and the last General Assembly directed the Governor to appoint a commission to determine that portion of said route lying in Indiana. The commission has completed its work and made a report of the same

to the Governor. This report will be laid before you. It would be a fitting memorial of Indiana to the martyred president, if you would officially and legally declare the route determined by this commission, to be the one he passed over from his home in Indiana to his new home in Illinois.

### GETTYSBURG.

On the immortal battlefield of Gettysburg, other states have erected many costly monuments in commemoration of the bravery of their sons in that battle, but Indiana has been content with erecting but six markers there, where her soldiers fought and died. An appropriation sufficiently large should be made by the General Assembly to place Indiana in line with other states, by erecting on this field of carnage, made sacred by the blood of Union soldiers and the voice of Abraham Lincoln, a fitting monument for Indiana's soldiers who died there, that the American Union might live.

### SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

One of the most inspiring structures in our State is the Indiana Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument. As a work of art it is a class of itself. The language it speaks, though not audible, is far more eloquent than the human voice. The traveler views it in deep and reverential contemplation and continues his journey profoundly impressed by the lesson and inspired by the glory exemplified in the heroic citizenship of a free people. This work of genius and patriotism must be properly cared for and preserved for the remotest generations of men.

The board of control in charge of this monument have represented to me that they are in need of money to install a new elevator therein and to replace the candelabra on the plaza thereof. I recommend that the board of control be given a hearing by your honorable

body and that you make them the necessary appropriation.

### GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Many of the Union soldiers who served their country in our civil war have passed beyond their earning period, and they feel they can no longer contribute money for any purpose beyond the support of their families and themselves. They nevertheless have a keen interest in the state encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. They love to march to the music of the fife and drum under the folds of the old flag.

"The one flag—the great flag—the flag for me and you—  
Glorified all else beside, the red and white and blue."

These exercises afford an inspiring lesson in patriotism, and the State can well afford to assist in defraying the expense thereof. For this reason I recommend that a continuing annual appropriation of \$500 be made for this purpose, to be paid, or so much thereof as may be required, on the order of the Governor.

### CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

An Indiana historian has said that "No more important body of men ever assembled in the State of Indiana than that which met in the Hall of Representatives, in the old State Capitol, in Indianapolis, October 7, 1850, to revise the constitution of the state." The statement might have gone further without transcending the truth and have declared that no abler body of men than these ever assembled in this State. Their work lives after them and will long be recognized as a memorial to their superior wisdom.

These patriots did not live alone for themselves, but for the future generation

of their commonwealth; and they constructed a constitution that was far in advance of their time, and one that was proven to be a very great instrument of civil government. They did not believe, however, that the constitution they made would always meet the needs of the people of Indiana, and this is why they provided for its improvement by amendment. They were wise enough to supplant the constitution of 1816 by their work, and they took it for granted that later generations would be far seeing enough not to hesitate to set aside the organic law they framed, when by so doing they would better promote the public welfare.

Has the time arrived for a new constitution in this State? The sixty-seventh General Assembly, the majority of which was composed of men of my own political affiliation, evidently thought that it had, for it prepared a new constitution and sought to have it ratified by the people in the briefest possible time. Both the republican and progressive parties, and I think other political parties, have in recent years declared more than once for a new constitution.

It is fair to assume that this action by these different political organizations reflects public opinion on this subject, aside from the views favorable thereto held by the forward-looking men and women of Indiana whose qualifications for citizenship are of the first order.

There are many sweeping questions in the affairs of government that cannot be legislated upon in this State in the absence of numerous amendments to our present constitution, or unless we get a new constitution broad enough to permit the consideration of legislation thereon. Some of these questions doubtless are not of sufficient merit to be legislated on, but that is no objection to the people having an organic law that

will permit them to be considered by the General Assembly, or that does not practically prohibit any amendments thereto, despite the desire of the voters of the State. The mode of amendment prescribed by the present constitution is not satisfactory. Many sober-minded and thinking people believe it is hedged about by difficulties that result in nothing less than the defeat of justice. It prevents the doing of many things that are just and in harmony with the people's most enlightened conscience.

I recommend, therefore, that you call a constitutional convention and that the same be safeguarded as far as possible against partisan politics. The details of such a convention you will have to work out with great deliberation. It will require the exercise of your united wisdom. Nothing but your finest heart impulses and purest purposes should shape your course. A free people's organic law is the covenant of their liberties and should be the exponent of their noblest conception of man's relation to society and civilization.

The members of this convention should be chosen at a special election and under conditions, when no partisan issues are to be considered. Their names should be printed on a ballot that bears no political distinction, and everything possible should be done to enable the people to elect men whose qualifications and characters will be an assurance of their desire to serve the public in a wholly disinterested manner.

A list of pardons, paroles, commutations and remissions granted by the governor from January 1, 1915 to January 1, 1917 [is submitted herewith.]

In conclusion, gentlemen, permit me to leave with you the hope that good fellowship may dwell with you throughout your session, and that out of your deliberations great good will come to the citizenship of Indiana.

PARDONS, PAROLES, COMMUTATIONS AND REMISSIONS OF FINES GRANTED BY GOVERNOR SAMUEL  
M. RALSTON, FROM JANUARY 1, 1915, TO JANUARY 1, 1916.

Date.	Name.	Sentence.	Institution.	
1915.				
Jan. 6.	Michael Navarra.	\$25 fine.	Co. Jail.	Remission.
Jan. 25.	Noah Smith.	1-7 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
Feb. 15.	William Geddings.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Feb. 15.	Margaret Small.		Girls School.	Pardon.
Feb. 15.	Clement Ralston, alias Paul Beest.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Pardon.
Feb. 26.	Jos. Boldt.	\$1 and 6 months.	Co. Workhouse.	Pardon and fine remitted.
Mar. 23.	James Moore.	2-14 years; 1-8 years.	State Prison.	Parole; Parole revoked.
Mar. 25.	Edward Monroe.	5-14 years.	State Prison.	7-22-15. Parole; Parole revoked.
Mar. 25.	Howard Stearns.	1-8 years.	Reformatory.	11-3-15. Pardon.
Apr. 7.	Benjamin McAtee.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	Pardon.
Apr. 7.	Samuel Russell.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Apr. 8.	Matt Bell.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	Pardon.
Apr. 10.	Gladys Klase.		Girls School.	Pardon.
Apr. 10.	Frances Fisher.		Girls School.	Pardon.
Apr. 15.	James Leonard.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	Pardon.
Apr. 16.	George Hall.	1-8 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Apr. 20.	Andrew Wisniewski.	6 months and \$100 fine.	Co. Jail.	Fine remitted.
Apr. 21.	Flora Minnick.	1-14 years.	Woman's Prison.	*Pardon.
Apr. 21.	William Lytle.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole; Parole revoked.
Apr. 21.	Walter Potter.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	1-11-16. *Parole.
Apr. 21.	Lizzie Storms.	Life.	Woman's Prison.	*Pardon.
Apr. 21.	Gerald Reigel.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Apr. 21.	Ivan Lawrence.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Apr. 21.	Harry Slack.	2-21 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Apr. 21.	Jacob Lehman.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Apr. 21.	Samuel Baker.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Apr. 21.	Guy Gunsaulle.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Apr. 22.	Charles Snyder.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Apr. 22.	Eddie L. Harrington.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.

Apr. 22	Dorey Hamilton	6 months \$500 fine.	County Workhouse.	Remission of fine.
Apr. 29	Richard Brown	2-14 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
Apr. 29	Jesse Stovett	2-5 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
May 1	Halford Johnson	1-8 years.	State	Parole.
May 3	George Mosher	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	Commutation to 1-8 years.
May 11	Arvilla Starks		Girls School.	Pardon.
May 11	Balentine Smith	2-14 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
May 11	John L. Oglesby	2-14 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
May 25	Frank Lewis	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
May 26	John Delk	1-5 years.	Reformatory	Parole.
May 28	Alfred Martin	\$25 fine.	Reformatory	Fine Remitted.
May 28	George Randolph	5-14 years.	Reformatory	Parole.
May 10	Ed. Merriam	6 months and \$1 fine.	State Farm.	Parole.
May 29	Eugene Williams	1-14 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
June 1	Ezra Wilkinson	\$200 fine.	County Jail.	Pardon.
May 29	Earl Dubols	10-20 years.	Reformatory	Remission of fine.
May 29	John Leonard	10-20 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
June 1	Tom White	\$210, 4 months.	County Jail.	Remission of fine.
June 1	Van Allen	2-21 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
June 7	Burt Harris	\$1 and 6 months.	County Jail.	Pardon.
June 7	Newton Casey	120 days and \$380	County Jail.	Remission of fine and par- don revoked, 1-27-16.
June 8	George Tyrone, alias Gaspard Falt.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Pardon.
June 10	Coleman Jackson	\$50 and costs.	County Jail.	Remission.
June 11	Nora J. Belding (Kendall)	100 days and \$250.	County Jail.	Pardon.
June 16	George W. Diedon	\$250 fine.	County Jail.	Remission of fine.
June 16	Milton Grimes	\$250 fine.	County Jail.	Remission of fine.
July 22	Amana Veitel		Girls School.	Pardon.
July 22	Lena King		Girls School.	Pardon.
July 22	Lillian Neisen		Girls School.	Pardon.
July 22	Hazel McKee		Girls School.	Pardon.
July 22	Pearl Cornelius		Girls School.	Pardon.
July 22	Bertha Cox	2-21 years.	Reformatory.	Pardon.
July 23	Kenneth Hutchinson	2-21 years.	Reformatory	Parole.
July 24	Warren Munsey	2-14 years.	State Prison.	Parole revoked, 11-19-15.
July 24	Chas. Pagel	90 days and \$5 fine.	State Farm.	Parole.
July 26	Stanley Chrzan	100 days and \$250.	County Jail.	Pardon.
July 24	Dr. Perry A. Kendall		County Jail.	Parole.
July 26	Roy Sanders	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.

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Date.	Name.	Sentence.	Institution.	
1915.				
July 27.	Nora Ryan.	30 days and \$1.	Woman's Prison.	Pardon.
July 27.	John Bedford.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	Frank Pennick.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	Chas. Beeson.	2-5 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	Elvis Jones.	2-5 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	Julius Spitzer.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole; revoked 2-11-16.
July 27.	Arthur Laufer.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	Carl Machholz.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	James Bowman.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	Stanley Morrison.	2-21 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 27.	John Friend.	2-21 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 27.	George Wilson.	Life.	State Prison.	Committed to 2-21 years.
July 28.	Wade C. Fox, alias R. L. Hampden.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Pardon.
Aug. 5.	Charles Cushing.	2-21 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
Aug. 4.	Oren Bennett.	180 days and \$500.	State Farm.	Parole.
Aug. 5.	Thos. Simpson.	90 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Fine remitted.
Aug. 5.	Clarence Canode.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Aug. 6.	John F. Kennett.	6 months and \$500.	County Workhouse.	Remission of fine.
Aug. 6.	Walter Ott Hehman.	1-5 years.	Reformatory.	Parole; revoked 5-19-16.
Aug. 10.	William Kline.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission of fine.
Aug. 14.	Arthur Hall.	2-21 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Aug. 17.	Pete Rochford.	\$50 and 30 days.	State Farm.	Pardon.
Aug. 17.	Jacob Sohn.	30 days.	State Farm.	Parole.
Aug. 23.	Dennis Sweeney.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission of fine.
Aug. 23.	Fred Doell.	60 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission of fine.
Aug. 25.	James A. Robinson.	60 days and \$50.	State Farm.	Remission of fine.
Sept. 1.	Harold Smedley.	2-21 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Sept. 3.	James M. Snyder.	90 days and \$5.	State Farm.	Parole.
Sept. 10.	Guy Walters.	2-5 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
Sept. 16.	Roy McCorkle.	Life.	State Prison.	Commutation to 2-21 yrs.
Sept. 17.	Pearl Johnson Walkel.		Girls School.	Pardon.
Sept. 18.	Harry Duwall.	90 days and \$100 fine.	State Farm.	Remission of fine.
Sept. 27.	Ollie Skinner.	6 months and \$500.	County Jail.	Remission of fine.

Sep. 27	Robert Johnson	10 days and \$10	Workhouse	Remission of fine.
Sep. 27	John M. Thom.	8 months	State Farm	Parole.
Sep. 27	Wm. A. Joyce	10-20 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
Oct. 4	Wm. Secrist	6 months and \$500	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Oct. 8	George W. Foutty	60 days and \$100	State Farm	Remission of fine.
Oct. 16	Harry Bell	\$50 and 30 days	County Jail	Pardon.
Oct. 16	Ernest Marley	6 months and \$1	State Farm	Parole and remission of fine.
Oct. 16	Ida Wehe	30 days and \$1	Woman's Prison	Pardon.
Oct. 19	Vincent Ginn	Life	State Prison	*Parole.
Oct. 19	Palmer Zobrosky	2-14 years	State Prison	*Parole.
Oct. 19	Chester Ballard	1-7 years	State Prison	*Pardon.
Oct. 19	Bert Waterford	10-20 years	State Prison	*Parole.
Oct. 19	Oliver Hancock	Life	State Prison	*Parole.
Oct. 19	Albert Tedrick	2-21 years	State Prison	*Parole.
Oct. 19	William Pitts	10-20 years	Reformatory	*Parole.
Oct. 19	Chester Mills	2-14 years	Reformatory	*Parole.
Oct. 19	Lawrence Templeton	5-14 years	Reformatory	*Pardon.
Oct. 19	Nelson White	Life	State Prison	*Parole.
Oct. 19	George Smith	2-14 years	Reformatory	*Parole.
Oct. 19	Roy Coleman	10-20 years	Reformatory	*Pardon.
Oct. 19	Wallace Thompson	Life	State Prison	*Commutation to 2-21 yrs.
Oct. 19	George Howell	10-20 years	Reformatory	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Oct. 19	Jessie Holms	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Oct. 19	Jacob Jenkins	60 days and \$100	State Farm	Remission of fine.
Oct. 26	Earl Duckwall	120 days and \$120	State Farm	Remission of fine.
Oct. 26	Ulysses Pendergast	144 days and \$50	State Farm	Remission of fine.
Nov. 1	Stanhope C. Spencer	6 months and \$500	State Farm	Remission of fine and parole.
Nov. 1	John Logan	\$500	State Farm	Remission and pardon.
Nov. 2	George Walker, alias Bishop Anderson	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Nov. 11	Fred White	6 months and \$100	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Nov. 11	John Godsey	180 days and \$500	State Farm	Remission.
Nov. 11	Louis Lee	90 days and \$250	State Farm	Parole and remission of fine.
Nov. 11	Ray Vaughn	180 days and \$500	State Farm	Parole and remission of fine.
Nov. 11	Chas. Radley	10-20 years	Reformatory	Parole revoked.
Nov. 11	John Stump	60 days and \$40	State Farm	Remission of fine.



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1915.				
Nov. 11.	Doris Gibson.	\$50.	State Farm.	Remission.
Nov. 11.	Mabel Cloud.		Girls School.	Pardon.
Nov. 15.	Lee Branson.	9 months.	State Farm.	Parole.
Nov. 19.	Jennings Goodman.	6 months and \$180.	State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Nov. 23.	William Huffman.	6 months and \$500.	Workhouse.	Remission.
Dec. 4.	William Chamberlain.	180 days and \$500.	State Farm.	Paroled.
Dec. 3.	Steve Szill.	60 days and \$150.	County Jail.	Remission.
Dec. 13.	Chas. T. Martin.	90 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Dec. 14.	John Hickman.	1-14 years.	Reformatory.	Pardon.
Dec. 16.	Lottie Frederickson.		Girls School.	Pardon.
Dec. 16.	Agnes Higgins.		Girls School.	Pardon.
Dec. 16.	Alice Icevoggle.	6 months and \$500.	Woman's Prison.	Remission.
Dec. 16.	Harley Phillips.	90 days and \$90.	State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Dec. 16.	Eliza Green.		State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Dec. 16.	Chas. W. Foster.	90 days and \$50.	State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Dec. 16.	Clarence B. Jester.		State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Dec. 14.	Glen Peterson.	1-8 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Dec. 17.	Verne Merrick.	6 months and \$1.	State Farm.	Parole.
Dec. 18.	Maurice Horowitz.	30 days and \$50.	County Jail.	Pardon.
Dec. 18.	Horace Porterfield.	Life.	State Prison.	Pardon.
Dec. 18.	Chas. Diggs.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole; pardon 1-20-16.
Dec. 18.	Floyd Beals.	3-15 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 18.	Perry Drake.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 18.	James Cooper.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 18.	Frank Reavis.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 18.	Harry Eckert.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 18.	Andy Patterson.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 18.	Chas. Rouse.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Commutation.
Dec. 18.	Otto Harris.	6-14 years.	State Prison.	*To 1-8 years.
Dec. 20.	Harold Smith.	6 months and \$10.	State Farm.	Parole.
Dec. 20.	W. J. Bryant.	1 year and \$1.	State Farm.	Parole.
Dec. 20.	Joseph Morgan.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission.
Dec. 22.	Harvey McIntyre.	4 months and \$1.	State Farm.	Parole.

Dec. 22	James M. Rodgers	6 months and \$500.	State Farm	Remission.
Dec. 22	Nike Dolan	60 days and \$25.	State Farm	Remission and parole.
Dec. 22	Harry Ackison	10-20 years	Reformatory	Paroled; revoked 11-15-16.
Dec. 22	Marvin Wise	10-20 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Dec. 22	Lawrence McGill	10-20 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Dec. 23	Henry Ward	\$300.	State Farm	Remission.
Dec. 27	Frank Purcell	Life	State Prison	Parole revoked.
Dec. 28	Chas. Sparks	\$50.	State Farm	Remission.
1916.				
Jan. 4	Otto Olmspecher	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Jan. 6	Woodfork, alias Wood Fork.	\$25 fine	State Farm	Remission.
Jan. 7	Lawrence Edwards	10-20 years	Reformatory	Parole revoked 8-5-16.
Jan. 7	Will Davis	180 days and \$150.	State Farm	Remission.
Jan. 7	Lawrence Williams	30 days and \$100.	State Farm	Remission.
Jan. 12	Ethel Worland		Girls School	Pardon.
Jan. 14	Albert Miner	\$300.	State Farm	Remission.
Jan. 27	William Mitchell	6 months, \$100.	State Farm	Parole.
Jan. 25	George Hubbard	5 months and \$100.	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Jan. 19	Fred Bender	9 months, \$150.	State Farm	Remission.
Feb. 2	Marion Fischer, Chas. Thompson, prin., Jos. Haas	\$500 rec. bond sureties		
Feb. 2	Henry Mennewisch	6 months and \$100.	State Farm	Remission.
Feb. 5	Walter Graham	9 months and \$100.	State Farm	Remission.
Feb. 5	Edward S. Lewis	6 months and \$250.	State Farm	Remission.
Feb. 8	Myrtle Butler	6 months and \$1.	Woman's Prison	Pardon and remission.
Feb. 8	Chas. E. Dunn	2-14 years and \$100.	Sentence suspended	Remission.
Feb. 9	Alva C. Tippy	180 days and \$500.	State Farm	Remission.
Feb. 17	Julius Spitzer	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole revoked.
Feb. 21	Louis French	6 months and \$150.	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Feb. 28	Newton D. Baker	30 days and \$50.	County Jail	Remission.
Feb. 29	Harry Krelew	1-14 years	Reformatory	Conditional pardon.
Mar. 2	Henry Moses	Suspended sentence		Pardon.
Mar. 9	Donald Dudley	2-21 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Mar. 13	Thos. King	10-20 years	Reformatory	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Mar. 13	Ola Browning		Girls School	Pardon.
Mar. 13	Helen Furmanek		Girls School	Pardon.
Mar. 14	Arba Coppock	2-14 years	State Prison	Parole.
Mar. 14	Frank McNaught	1-8 years	State Prison	Parole revoked 5-10-16.

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1916.				
Mar. 13.	Denton Hall.	6 months and \$1.	State Farm.	Parole.
Mar. 13.	Garfield Poe.	3-15 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Mar. 20.	Homer Curtis.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Mar. 21.	James Hurley.	6 months and \$1.	State Farm.	Parole.
Mar. 21.	John H. Weiner.	90 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission.
Mar. 21.	Benjamin Drake.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Mar. 22.	Charles Walker.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission.
Mar. 23.	Cordelia Hatfield.	6 months and \$100.	Woman's Prison.	Remission.
Mar. 27.	Chas. E. Smith.	1-5 years.	State Prison.	Pardon.
Apr. 6.	Carmella Cardarella.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Pardon.
Apr. 6.	Hubert Gillum.	2-21 years.	Reformatory.	*Pardon.
Apr. 6.	Edw. Stanton.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Apr. 6.	Maddox Bruce.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole; Pardon 7-17-16.
Apr. 6.	M. A. Howard.	\$25 fine.	.....	Remission.
Apr. 6.	Claude Sullivan.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Apr. 6.	James Bristoe.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Apr. 6.	Clarence Reed.	Life.	State Prison.	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Apr. 6.	James Wm. Delph.	Life.	State Prison.	*Commutation to 2-21 yrs.
Apr. 6.	Eugene Ballard.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Apr. 6.	John Ferriter.	Life.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Apr. 6.	Benjamin H. Peak.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole; Revoked 8-5-16.
Apr. 6.	Roy Sheridan.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Apr. 6.	William Johnson.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Apr. 10.	Otis Thompson.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Pardon.
Apr. 11.	Sallie Heatherington.	6 months and \$1.	Woman's Prison.	Pardon.
Apr. 15.	Anthony Trentman.	2-21 years.	State Prison.	Parole.
Apr. 18.	Ed. Cavin.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission.
Apr. 18.	Jack Stevenson.	180 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Apr. 19.	Richard Molten.	6 months and \$10.	State Farm.	Parole and remission.
Apr. 21.	Charles Woodson.	6 months.	State Farm.	Parole.
Apr. 21.	Fred Babbs.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission.
May 1.	Orley Worrell.	6 months and \$5.	State Farm.	Parole and remission.
May 3.	James Burke.	60 days and \$5.	State Farm.	Remission.

May 8	Thomas Owen	90 days and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
May 15	Russell Dager	60 days and \$1	Ind. Boys School	Pardon.
May 18	J. E. Scanlon		State Farm	Pardon.
May 20	Hattie Marie Fleece		Girls School	Pardon.
May 20	Sylvia McKee		Girls School	Pardon.
May 20	Ed. Davis	90 days and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
May 22	Jesse Christy	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole.
May 24	James Wardell	6 months and \$1	State Farm	Parole.
May 27	Frank Sibert	\$100 fine		Remission.
May 29	Otto Zimmer	5-14 years	Reformatory	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.; Paroled 12-16-16.
May 29	George Rosa	6 months and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
June 5	William Steel	Life	State Prison	Commutation to 2-21 yrs.
June 9	Minor Walters	6 months and \$1	State Farm	Parole.
June 9	Peck Dillingler, alias Wm. Johnson	180 days and \$250	State Farm	Pardon and remission.
June 9	Hugh Brown	1-8 years	Reformatory	Parole.
June 16	Arthur Kinkel	5-14 years	Reformatory	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
June 22	Robert Christianbury	1 year and \$1	State Farm	Parole.
June 22	Edward Lonicker	180 days and \$100	State Farm	Parole and remission.
June 23	John Delk	1-5 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
June 23	Harold Dove	1-14 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
June 23	Mike Corgoran	1-8 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
June 23	Harry Fields	(Suspended sentence)	State Farm	Parole.
June 27	Guase Parker	6 months and \$10	County Jail	Remission.
June 28	Richard Stoner	6 months and \$100	Reformatory	Parole.
June 29	Robert Aker	1-8 years	State Farm	Parole.
June 30	Marshall Whitaker	6 months and \$1	State Farm	Parole.
July 3	John Welker	Life	State Prison	Parole.
July 3	Samantha Ray	30 days and \$50	County Jail	Pardon.
July 7	Lewis Staton	1-8 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
July 10	William Jones	100 days and \$200	State Farm	Remission.
July 8	Lewis Coder	30 days and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
July 8	Earl Elliott	6 months and \$5	State Farm	Parole and remission.
July 8	Donald McReynolds	2-14 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
July 12	Floyd Cahill	90 days and \$250	State Farm	Remission.
July 12	Virgil May	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole.
July 12	George Barr	\$300	County Jail	Remission.
July 12	Esta Borner		Girls School	Pardon.
July 12	Iola Newbold		Girls School	Pardon.

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1916.				
July 14.	Wm. P. Chowning.	180 days and \$500.	State Farm.	Remission.
July 14.	Fred Conner, alias George Day.		Reformatory.	Pardon.
July 18.	Ben Bartlett.	10 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission.
July 18.	Alfred Short.	100 days and \$200.	State Farm.	Remission.
July 24.	Frank Forqueran.	180 days and \$500.	State Farm.	Remission.
July 24.	Wm. Hoffman.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	Pardon.
July 26.	John Donovan.	60 days and \$200.	State Farm.	Pardon.
July 27.	William Bristow.	6 months and \$500.	State Farm.	Remission.
July 27.	Lydia Hartman.	90 days and \$5.	Woman's Prison.	Parole; Parole revoked. 7-31-16.
July 31.	Edward Fislter.	30 days and \$100.	State Farm.	Remission.
July 17.	Rueben Wheat.	Life.	State Prison.	*Pardon.
July 17.	Chas. Terry.	Life.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Paul Benjamin.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 17.	Allison Reynolds.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Chas. E. Dixon.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Herman Alrgood.	Life.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Wm. F. Dreisman.	Life.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Frank Carter.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Ernest Bogue.	2-21 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 17.	Edward Shannon.	1-7 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Robert Furell.	Life.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Roy McGlothlin.	1-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 17.	Burt Randolph.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
July 17.	Frank Harris.	Life.	State Prison.	*Parole.
July 17.	Edward Burns.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
July 17.	Chas. Richards.	10-20 years.	State Prison.	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
July 17.	George McClure.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Aug. 5.	Phillip Keller.	6 months and \$130.	State Farm.	Remission.
Aug. 5.	Jesse Mullen.	60 days and \$1.	State Farm.	Parole.
Aug. 8.	George Johnson.	6 months and \$500.	State Farm.	Remission.
Aug. 8.	Leo Kimbrel (Kimbul).	4 months and \$50.	State Farm.	Pardon and remission.
Aug. 12.	Arthur Curtis.	180 days and \$300.	State Farm.	Pardon.

Aug. 14	Frank Hires	120 days and \$50.	State Farm	Remission.
Aug. 15	Max Jacobson	2-21 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Aug. 16	Flo Gibbs	60 days and \$500.	Woman's Prison	Remission.
Aug. 17	Rex Needham	180 days and \$500	State Farm	Remission.
Aug. 19	Russell McKerrhan	100 days and \$200	State Farm	Pardon and remission.
Aug. 21	James George	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Aug. 24	Lucile Rose		Girls School	Pardon.
Aug. 26	Charles Thompson	30 days and \$75	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 2	William Collins	30 days and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 9	Key Eddie Butler	2-14 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Sept. 11	Jessie Easter	180 days and \$50	Woman's Prison	Parole and remission.
Sept. 12	Ernest Sparks	1-7 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Sept. 12	Oswon R. Lewis	1-7 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Sept. 13	Warren Greenwald	9 months and \$1	State Farm	Parole.
Sept. 13	Earl Bloomfield	9 months and \$1	State Farm	Parole.
Sept. 13	Louis Hogaa	30 days and \$50	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 13	Andrew Bridgewater	6 months and \$1	State Farm	Parole.
Sept. 15	John Monnett	6 months and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 16	Rollin Conner	90 days and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 20	David M. Brown	5 days and \$10	County Jail	Remission.
Sept. 21	John Wilson	90 days and \$100	State Farm	Parole.
Sept. 22	Hubert Miller	\$250 fine	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 30	Frank Davis	6 months and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 25	William Smith, Jr	\$20 fine	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 27	John Hightight	6 months and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
Sept. 30	William Smith	1-6 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
Oct. 1	Jesse Louder	6 months and \$100	State Farm	Remission.
Oct. 4	Dairy Thompson	200 days and \$20	Woman's Prison	Pardon.
Oct. 5	John Baker	6 months and \$500	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Oct. 4	Earl Condleff	6 months and \$500	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Oct. 5	William Cunningham	2-14 years	Reformatory	Pardon.
Oct. 5	Elisha Johnson	1 year, discharge for 5 years		Pardon.
Oct. 6	James Oaves	Life	State Prison	Pardon.
Oct. 9	Chas. Garrett	6 months and \$900	State Farm	Parole and remission
Oct. 10	Edward Burrell	2-21 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Oct. 11	Carl Brown	1 year	State Farm	Parole.
Oct. 17	Harry Gimple	2-21 years	Reformatory	Parole.
Oct. 17	Frank Henderson	1-8 years	Reformatory	Pardon.

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1916.				
Oct. 23 . . . . .	O. B. Smith, alias Geo. Rice Wright.	5 months and \$10 . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Pardon.
Oct. 23 . . . . .	Alonzo Cook . . . . .	2-14 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	Parole.
Oct. 23 . . . . .	Ernest Johnson . . . . .	1-14 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	Parole.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Earl Thrallkill . . . . .	2-14 years . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	*Pardon.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Kenneth Davis . . . . .	10-20 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	*Parole.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	George Bennett . . . . .	1-8 years . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	*Parole.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	George Wheatley . . . . .	2-5 years . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	*Parole.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Abraham Courtney . . . . .	2-14 years . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	*Parole.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Chloe Mitchell . . . . .	2-14 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	*Parole.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Wilbert Palmer . . . . .	10-20 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Oscar Brown, alias Chas. Brown . . . . .	10-20 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Floyd Black . . . . .	20-30 years . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Joe Jones . . . . .	Life . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	*Commutation to 2-21 yrs.; Paroled 12-19-16.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Clyde Gibson . . . . .	5-14 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Ben White . . . . .	10-20 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Oct. 13 . . . . .	Howard Williams . . . . .	10-20 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Oct. 30 . . . . .	Thos. McCluske . . . . .	60 days and \$10 . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Pardon.
Oct. 30 . . . . .	Herbert Whittington . . . . .	150 days and \$150 . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 1 . . . . .	Chas. Wm. M. Wel's . . . . .	6 months and \$150 . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 1 . . . . .	Herbert Eschenfelder . . . . .	1-8 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	Pardon.
Nov. 6 . . . . .	Harrison Cross . . . . .	90 days and \$10 . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 6 . . . . .	Lewis O. Rush . . . . .	2-14 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	Pardon.
Nov. 6 . . . . .	Louis Brown, Jr. . . . .	60 days and \$50 . . . . .	County Jail . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 10 . . . . .	George Cummings . . . . .	2-14 years . . . . .	Reformatory . . . . .	Parole.
Nov. 10 . . . . .	Thos. V. Miller . . . . .	60 days and \$25 . . . . .	Jail . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 13 . . . . .	William James . . . . .	30 days and \$100 . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 14 . . . . .	Frank Sabo . . . . .	6 months and \$100 . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 15 . . . . .	Wm. Anderson . . . . .	\$100 fine . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 14 . . . . .	Thos. Heizer . . . . .	\$100 fine . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 15 . . . . .	Harry Farris . . . . .	1-8 years . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	Parole.
Nov. 15 . . . . .	William Jones . . . . .	6 months and \$550 . . . . .	State Prison . . . . .	Remission.
Nov. 16 . . . . .	Floyd Mullen . . . . .	10-20 years . . . . .	State Farm . . . . .	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.

Nov. 16	John Keough	6 months and \$500.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission
Nov. 21	Fred Beaman	6 months and \$600.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission
Nov. 22	James Ashe, Wm. Bryant, George Campbell, Dwain Coleman, Clarence Rouck, Walter Durbin, William Wood	State Farm	State Farm	State Farm	Paroled.
Nov. 22	James M. Stewart	6 months and \$1,000 fine.	County Jail	County Jail	Remission.
Nov. 22	Benj. F. Miller	2-14 years	State Prison	State Prison	Paroled.
Nov. 23	William G. Mallory	6 months and \$275.	State Farm	State Farm	Paroled.
Nov. 23	Grover Johnson	6 months and \$5.	State Farm	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Nov. 24	Israel Brown	6 months	State Farm	State Farm	Paroled.
Nov. 25	George Hietzman	2-14 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Paroled.
Nov. 29	Fred Greenwell	3 months and \$50.	State Farm	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Nov. 29	Albert Puckett	150 days and \$20.	State Farm	State Farm	Parole.
Nov. 29	Isaac Weathers	4 months and \$25.	State Farm	State Farm	Parole and remission.
Nov. 29	Thos. Sayers	30 days and \$50.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission.
Nov. 29	Mac Harbin	10-20 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Parole.
Nov. 29	Albert Wilkinson	6 months and \$5.	State Farm	State Farm	Parole.
Dec. 6	Thos. Lehman	1 year and \$250.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission.
Dec. 6	Dillard Eades	\$315 fine	State Farm	State Farm	Remission.
Dec. 6	Benton Noble	\$500 and 10 days	County Jail	County Jail	Remission.
Dec. 7	Wm. Tipton Polen	1 year and \$50.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission and parole.
Dec. 20	Wm. Campbell	2-14 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Parole.
Dec. 20	Benj. F. Clifton	1-14 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Parole.
Dec. 13	Stacy Beach	10-20 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Conditional pardon.
Dec. 14	Alice Johnson	30 days and \$50.	Woman's Prison	Woman's Prison	Remission.
Dec. 16	Chas. Runyan	2-14 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Pardon.
Dec. 16	Bert Perkins	2-14 years	State Prison	State Prison	Parole.
Dec. 16	Alonzo Gray	180 days and \$100.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission and parole.
Dec. 16	Emma Rutan	.....	Girls School	Girls School	Pardon.
Dec. 16	Ora Jones	.....	Girls School	Girls School	Pardon.
Dec. 16	Griffin Darneal, alias Fred Williams	2-14 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Parole.
Dec. 19	Nove Dudley	100 days and \$50.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission and parole.
Dec. 20	Catherine Walsh	30 days and \$100.	Woman's Prison	Woman's Prison	Remission.
Dec. 20	Steve Litsey	6 months and \$600.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission.
Dec. 21	Harry Mann	6 months and \$300.	State Farm	State Farm	Remission and parole.
Dec. 21	Joe Argostino	6-14 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Parole.
Dec. 21	Howard McVea	6-14 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Dec. 21	Alfred Leflew	10-20 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Dec. 21	Stanley Johnson	10-20 years	Reformatory	Reformatory	Parole.



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Dec. 21	Herschel Williams.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Dec. 21	Walter Sullivan.	5-14 years.	Reformatory.	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Dec. 22	Otto Richard Perring.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Dec. 22	Paul C. Riggs.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Dec. 22	Frank Butterfield, alias Chas. Schur.	3-15 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Dec. 22	Richard S. Engleman.	2-5 years.	Reformatory.	Parole.
Dec. 23	Wm. C. Shanks.	2-5 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Earl Sloss.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Orville Dix.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	William Hight.	1-8 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Otis Shinn.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	David Penman.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Thomas Hanan.	Life.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Charles Born.	2-14 years.	Reformatory.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Frank Nace.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Cary Babbs.	2-5 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Fred Moyes.	2-14 years.	State Prison.	*Parole.
Dec. 23	Harry Jones.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	*Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Dec. 23	George Redden.	10-20 years.	Reformatory.	Commutation to 2-14 yrs.
Dec. 26	William Goble.	6 months and \$50.	State Farm.	Remission and parole.
Dec. 27	Tuck Adams.	60 days and \$50.	State Farm.	Remission and pardon.
Dec. 27	John Lapadat.	Life.	State Prison.	Commutation to 2-21 yrs.
Dec. 30	Charles Kenny.	Life.	State Prison.	Parole.
Dec. 30	Thos. Hicks.	1-7 years.	State Prison.	Parole.

N. B. All cases marked "\*" have been granted upon the recommendation of the State Board of Pardons.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House do now adjourn until Friday, January 5, at 10 a. m.

Which motion was carried and the House adjourned.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### FRIDAY MORNING.

January 5, 1917.

House called to order with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. P. Klyver of the First Baptist Church of Franklin, Indiana.

The speaker ordered the roll to be called.

Those answering to their names on roll call were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Arby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Eschbach, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, West-

fall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 97 of 102.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Hartke, Tucker.  
Total 3.

Representative Cravens of Jefferson county asked the unanimous consent to have Representative Habermel of Floyd and Harrison counties sworn in as a member of the House of Representatives, which consent was granted and the speaker appointed Mr. Cravens as a committee of one, to present Mr. Habermel at the bar of the House. The oath was administered by the speaker.

Mr. Mendenhall moved that the reading of the Journal be dispensed with, which motion was carried and the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Mr. McClaskey offered the following resolution:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Be it resolved, by the House of Representatives, that the speaker shall appoint a committee of five (5) members of the House, to be known as the Committee on Legislative Patronage, that said committee shall consider all applications for employment in this House and shall recommend for employment the following employees:

One Minute Clerk,  
One File Clerk,  
One Registry Clerk,  
One Endorsing Clerk,  
One Roll Clerk,  
One Engraving Clerk,  
One Enrolling Clerk,  
One Calendar Clerk,  
One Postmaster,  
One Reading Clerk,

Not to exceed seven assistant door-keepers at any one time in the session.

Not to exceed five pages at any one time in the session.

Not to exceed eight stenographers at any one time in the session.

That the Committee on Engrossed Bills for the House of Representatives shall determine the manner of engrossing all bills and shall designate the number of assistant engrossing clerks who shall be chosen by the Committee on Legislative Patronage.

That the Committee on Enrolled Bills for the House of Representatives shall determine the manner of enrolling all bills and shall designate the number of assistant enrolling clerks who shall be chosen by the Committee on Legislative Patronage.

That the compensation of said employees shall be as follows:

*Clerks:* \$5.00 per day each, for each day they are in the employ of the House of Representatives.

*Doorkeepers and stenographers:* At the rate of \$25.00 each for each week they are in the employ of the House of Representatives.

*Pages:* \$3.00 per day each, for each day they are in the employ of the House of Representatives.

That said Committee shall file with the clerk of the House a written report showing the name of each person employed and the date when said employment began, and the position to which said person is assigned; that said Committee shall have full authority to discharge any of said employees at any time and to fill the vacancy by such discharge.

Be it further resolved, that the speaker of the House shall have authority to instruct the Committee on Legislative Patronage to appoint not to exceed eight additional employees whenever, in his opinion, the work of the House may require it and said employees shall receive the compensation that is

provided for like employees appointed by said committee.

Be it further resolved, that said committee shall have authority to appoint not exceeding three janitors and one cloak-room custodian, each of whom shall receive three (\$3.00) dollars per day for each day of their employment, and that said janitors and cloak-room custodian shall be under the control and supervision of the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Property, who shall have general charge of the cleaning and care of the House of Representatives and whose duty it shall be to see that the same is kept clean at all times.

Be it further resolved, that all printing done for the House of Representatives and that all supplies, including stationery, purchased for the House of Representatives shall be under the control and supervision of the Board of Public Printing and Stationery, and that said printing shall be done and said supplies purchased upon authorization of the speaker of the House.

ROBERT W. McCLASKEY.

Which resolution was adopted.

Pursuant to the foregoing resolution the speaker appointed the following committee:

Messrs. McClaskey, Kessler, McGonagle, Southard, Houghton.

Mr. Mason offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a committee of five (5) members be appointed by the speaker for the purpose of securing ministers to open the sessions of the House of Representatives with prayer.

JAMES K. MASON.

Which motion prevailed.

The speaker appointed the following committee:

Messrs. Walker, Hougham, Johnson of Grant, Jinnett, Scott.

Mr. Symons offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following motion and move its adoption:

That a committee of two members of the House be appointed to invite the Senate to meet in joint session Monday, January 8th, 1917, at 10:00 a.m. in the House of Representatives to canvas the vote for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Indiana.

LUTHER F. SYMONS.

Which motion was carried.

The speaker appointed the following committee:

Messrs. Symons and Cravens.

Mr. Wright offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a committee of four members of the House be appointed by the speaker to act in conjunction with a similar committee from the Senate for the purpose of making such arrangements as the committee may find necessary and proper for the inauguration of the Governor-elect and the Lieutenant-Governor-elect.

FRANK E. WRIGHT.

Which motion was carried.

The speaker appointed the following committee:

Messrs. Wright of Randolph, Geddes, Durham, Douglas.

Mr. McGonagle of Delaware moved that the House do now adjourn until Monday, January 8th, at 10:00 a. m.

The motion prevailed and the House adjourned.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives.

## MONDAY MORNING.

January 8, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, pursuant to adjournment, with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Allan B. Philputt of the Central Christian Church of Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Eschbach, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker,

Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 95.

Those absent were:

Aaby, Cravens, Habermel, Jacoby, Miles. Total 5.

The speaker ordered the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Friday last.

On motion of Mr. Waltz, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

Announcement of Committees. The speaker announced the appointment of the following committees:

#### ELECTIONS.

Dynes, Moore, Wright of Clay, Mason, Williams, Harker, Southard, Hyland, Anderson, Bayer, Grube, Haslanger, Turner.

#### WAYS AND MEANS.

McGonagle, Williams, Gentry, Blackmore, Sipe, Harker, Kimmel, Buller, Dilworth, McNagry, Durham, Cravens, Hartke.

#### JUDICIARY A.

Miller of Howard, Davis of Jay, Harker, Houghton, Sipe, Yoder, Wood, Kimmel, Jinnett, McNagry, Hartke, Downey, Bonham.

#### JUDICIARY B.

Vesey, Woods, McClaskey, Reed, Williams, Jameson, Sampson, Dilworth, Harris, Harmon, Hougham, Walker, Krieg.

#### ORGANIZATION OF COURTS.

Harris, Anderson, Williams, Miles, Sipe, Buller, Myers, Symons, Winesburg, Burt, Cook, Turner, Douglas.

#### BANKS.

Symons, Sipe, Swain, Eikenberry, Hoffman, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Bartel, Jameson, Durham, Cooper, Adams, Axby.

#### BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

Aldredge, Clapp, Dynes, Symons, Houghton, Miltenberger, Day, Kimmel, Gorski, Walker, Cronin, Hartke.

#### EDUCATION.

Kessler, Harker, Wright of Randolph, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Houghton, Jinnett, Gentry, Harris, Davis of Jay, Burt, Ryan, Jacoby, Turner.

#### AFFAIRS OF THE INDIANA REFORMATORY.

Gentry, Davis of Lake, Yoder, Southard, Williams, Kessler, Swain, Ryan, Westfall, Habermel, Burt.

#### AFFAIRS OF THE INDIANA STATE PRISON.

Southard, Overmyer, Yoder, Johnson of Grant, Jinnett, Read, Gorski, Jacoby, Bayer, Robertson.

#### SWAMP LANDS.

Overmeyer, Baker, Winesburg, Miles, Wood, McClaskey, Hoffman, Johnson of Pulaski and White, McNagry, Grube, Jacoby, Hepler.

#### MILITARY AFFAIRS.

Dilworth, Scott, Southard, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Hoffman, Miles, Haslanger, Waltz, Walker.

#### CLAIMS.

Miles, Coggins, Overmyer, Jinnett, Duffey, Sipe, Wood, Habermel, Tucker, Downey, Harmon.

**TRUST FUNDS.**

Duffey, Symons, Miltenberger,  
Myers, Scott, Southard, Wright of  
Clay, Yoder, Durham, Cooper, Curry,

**FEEES AND SALARIES.**

Jinnett, Sipe, Mendenhall, Westrick,  
Mosier, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe  
and Warren, Johnson of Grant, Clapp,  
Hepler, Walker, Henke, Osborn.

**SINKING FUND.**

Sipe, Houghton, Blackmore, Bartel,  
Coggins, Hoffman, Hessong, Lafuze,  
Hepler, Henke, Griffin, Grube.

**RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES.**

Harker, Dynes, Vesey, Buller, Lafuze,  
Blackmore, Johnson of Pulaski and  
White, Kimmel, Houghton, McNagny,  
Curry, Turner and Bayer.

**RAILROADS.**

Davis of Lake, Behmer, Woods,  
Gentry, Yoder, Jinnett, Wright of  
Randolph, Symons, Williams, Cravens,  
Durham, Habermel, Haslanger.

**MANUFACTURE AND COM-  
MERCE.**

Davis of Jay, Swain, Montgomery,  
Yoder, Day, Geddes, Overmeyer,  
Gentry, Walker, Haslanger, Hougham,  
Downey.

**COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP  
BUSINESS.**

Blackmore, Houghton, Mushett,  
Mason, Wright of Clay, Miles, Over-  
myer, Harris, Jinnett, Hepler, Bayer,  
Grube, Robertson.

**AGRICULTURE.**

Swain, Miles, Blackmore, Mont-  
gomery, Mendenhall, Overmeyer,  
Hessong, Moore, Mason, Bonham,  
Douglas, Downey, Tucker.

**BENEVOLENT AND SCIENTIFIC  
INSTITUTIONS.**

Jameson, Lafuze, Kessler, Behmer,  
Read, Hessong, Eisterhold, O'Leary,  
Cronin, Henke,

**PUBLIC MORALS.**

Myers, Miles, Hyland, Gentry,  
Mason, Johnson of Grant, Miltenberger,  
Wright of Randolph, Winesburg,  
Hougham, Bonham, Jacoby, Krieg

**MILEAGE AND ACCOUNTS.**

Waltz, Westfall, Osborn, Gentry,  
Geddes, Behmer, Read, Aldredge,  
Moore.

**CORPORATIONS.**

Woods, Davis of Lake, Yoder, Davis  
of Jay, Williams, Kuhlman, Vesey,  
Dilworth, Sipe, Cook, Hartke, Henke,  
Krieg.

**RIVERS AND WATERS.**

Williams, Southard, Sambor, Kuhl-  
man, Mosier, Baker, Cook, Osborn,  
Eisterhold.

**PUBLIC EXPENDITURES.**

Eikenberry, Day, Lafuze, Davis of  
Lake, Green, Winesburg, Cooper, Waltz,  
Robertson.

**FEDERAL RELATIONS.**

Duffey, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski  
and White, Mendenhall, Harris,  
Behmer, Habermel, Henke, O'Leary.

**AFFAIRS OF THE CITY OF  
INDIANAPOLIS.**

Montgomery, Duffey, Dynes, Kuhl-  
man, Hyland, Woods, Geddes, Jameson,  
Scott, Sipe.

**CITIES AND TOWNS.**

Anderson, Jameson, Houghton,  
Sambor, Bartel, Jinnett, Kuhlman,

Vesey, Alldredge, O'Leary, Walker,  
Turner, Krieg.

#### ENGROSSED BILLS.

Wright of Randolph, Geddes, Swain,  
Harker, Anderson, Vesey, McNagny,  
Walker, Krieg, Eisterhold.

#### ROADS.

Mendenhall, Duffy, Blackmore,  
Moore, Lafuze, Miller of Tippecanoe,  
Green, Overmeyer, Mason, Douglas,  
O'Leary, Bayer, Hartke.

#### STATISTICS AND IMMIGRATION.

Day, Moore, Sipe, Baker, Winesburg,  
Westrick, Southard, Cook, Gorski,  
O'Leary, Eisterhold.

#### INSURANCE.

McClaskey, Geddes, Jameson,  
Miltenberger, Anderson, Harris,  
Symons, Jinnett, Miles, Eisterhold,  
Habermel, Turner, Cronin.

#### PRINTING.

Geddes, Buller, Dynes, Kessler, Kuhl-  
man, Miltenberger, Swain, Cronin,  
Griffin, Tucker, Eisterhold.

#### REFORMATORY INSTITUTIONS.

Mason, Coggins, Hyland, Williams,  
Sambor, Johnson of Grant, Clapp,  
Houghton, Jinnett, Jacoby, Haslanger,  
Burt, Turner.

#### DRAINS AND DIKES.

Wood, Dilworth, Buller, Miller of  
Tippecanoe, Moore, Johnson of Pulaski,  
Green, Baker, Winesburg, Harmon,  
Grube, Bonham, Cooper.

#### MINES AND MINING.

Wright of Clay, Mushett, Menden-  
hall, Baker, Mosier, Hessong, Williams,  
Jameson, Harmon, Curry, Cook, West-  
fall, Cronin.

#### LABOR.

Behmer, Day, Swain, Jinnett, Moore,  
Mason, Southard, Dynes, Gorski, Axby,  
Waltz, Bonham.

#### STATE MEDICINE, ETC.

Read, Geddes, Gentry, Jinnett,  
Kessler, Johnson of Pulaski, Hessong,  
Coggins, Grube, Henke, Adams, Cooper.

#### CORRECTION OF JOURNAL.

Mr. Speaker, McGonagle, Miller of  
Howard, McClaskey, Wright of Ran-  
dolph.

#### NATURAL RESOURCES OF STATE.

Coggins, Day, Hoffman, Williams,  
Kimmel, Lafuze, Mosier, Mushett,  
Wright of Clay, Westfall, Osborn,  
Turner, O'Leary.

#### PHRASEOLOGY OF BILLS.

Yoder, McGonagle, Jameson, Vesey,  
Miller of Howard, Harker, Dilworth,  
Walker, Eisterhold, Downey, Cronin.

#### CONGRESSIONAL APPORTION- MENT.

Buller, Kimmel, Harker, Swain,  
Montgomery, Jinnett, Mendenhall,  
Blackmore, Gentry, Hartke, McNagny,  
Jacoby, Waltz.

#### LEGISLATIVE APPORTION- MENT.

Clapp, Williams, Houghton, Hyland,  
Alldredge, Myers, Day, Johnson of  
Grant, Yoder, Douglas, Cook, Axby,  
Hartke.

#### TELEPHONES AND TELEGRAPH.

Kuhlman, Sambor, Jinnett, Miller  
of Tippecanoe, Baker, Winesburg, Day,  
Clapp, Haslanger, McNagny, Habermel,  
Tucker.

**SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.**

Scott, Southard, Jinnett, Miles,  
Baker, Winesburg, Gentry, Swain,  
Walker, Cook, Krieg, Jacoby.

**STATE SOLDIERS' HOME AND  
STATE SOLDIERS' AND  
SAILORS' ORPHANS'  
HOME.**

Scott, Johnson of Grant, Hoffman,  
Miles, Southard, Dilworth, Kimmel,  
Symons, Douglas, Downey, McNagny,  
Tucker.

**PUBLIC LIBRARIES.**

Mason, Jinnett, Kessler, Kuhlman,  
Johnson of Grant, Harker, Davis of  
Jay, Hoffman, Cooper, Cravens,  
Jacoby, Downey, Henke.

**CRIMINAL CODE.**

Hyland, Harker, McClaskey, McGonagle, Behmer, Dilworth, Houghton, Williams, Mushett, McNagny, Walker, Krieg, Eisterhold.

**ENROLLED BILLS.**

Houghton, Miller of Howard, McClaskey, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Eikenberry, Tucker, Cook, Harmon.

**PUBLIC BUILDINGS.**

Miltenberger, Day, Bartel, Geddes, Wright of Clay, Clapp, Kimmel, Swain, Gentry, Cook, Eisterhold, Haslanger, Douglas.

Mr. Alldredge offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move that the privilege be granted to the members of the House Standing Committees to exchange committees if any wish so to do, and that such changes desired shall be reported to the speaker not later than Wednesday morning, January 10th, and if such change meets with the approval of the speaker, the list of committees thus amended shall be the permanent House Standing Committees of the Seventieth Session of the House of Representatives of Indiana.

**ALLDREDGE.**

Mr. McGonagle moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was carried.

The House recessed until 1:30 o'clock.

The Senate being present in the House of Representatives, the joint session was called to order by Lieutenant-Governor O'Neill, who stated that the business before the Joint Session was the canvassing of the vote for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor.

The Speaker then proceeded to count the vote for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor at the general election held November 7, 1916.



## VOTE FOR GOVERNOR.

COUNTIES	John A. M. Adair. Dem.	James P. Goodrich. Rep.	Thomas A. Daily. Prog.	Alfred L. Moody. Proh.	William W. Tanner. Sec.	Joe B. Trunko. Soc. L.
Adams	2,807	1,776	9	148	18	2
Allen	9,478	10,001	882	361	1,471	84
Bartholomew	3,383	3,304	49	138	67	4
Benton	1,455	1,833	13	53	21	0
Blackford	1,827	1,590	4	122	104	8
Boone	3,465	3,360	51	134	80	6
Brown	993	495		27	9	2
Carroll	2,350	2,480	9	114	84	1
Cass	5,078	4,849	17	216	111	9
Clark	3,484	3,163	13	39	70	6
Clay	3,254	3,064	20	100	534	11
Clinton	3,588	3,604	11	172	111	7
Crawford	1,446	1,194	6	144	57	1
Daviess	3,055	3,140	39	114	199	17
Dearborn	2,934	2,399	6	199	61	3
Desatur	2,350	2,659	23	107	66	2
DeKalb	3,232	2,857	16	244	131	11
Delaware	5,835	6,967	57	362	633	22
Dubois	3,028	1,436	8	46	23	9
Elkhart	5,572	5,814	16	597	685	39
Fayette	2,019	2,336	36	58	61	4
Floyd	3,711	3,144	15	66	188	8
Fountain	2,405	2,639	159	87	130	11
Franklin	2,360	1,455	21	67	6	1
Fulton	2,208	2,321	125	64	31	
Gibson	3,672	3,541	19	216	205	15
Grant	5,626	6,049	49	886	994	45
Greene	3,843	3,787	68	170	796	21
Hamilton	2,732	3,859	46	351	69	5
Hancock	2,684	2,089	24	172	52	4
Harrison	2,292	2,046	24	94	60	
Hendricks	2,280	3,014	31	112	84	10
Henry	3,496	4,364	190	365	258	18
Howard	3,818	4,657	16	434	812	57
Huntington	3,717	3,757	39	427	154	13

## VOTE FOR GOVERNOR.—Continued.

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Jackson	3,164	2,389	8	126	66	6
Jasper	1,433	1,925	11	31	9	
Jay	3,049	3,056	7	299	103	6
Jefferson	2,448	2,642	16	108	52	3
Jennings	1,607	1,758	24	54	32	
Johnson	3,060	2,439	35	106	53	5
Knox	5,272	4,732	20	121	901	190
Kosciusko	3,323	3,959	24	219	123	12
Lagrange	1,459	1,937	28	89	37	2
Lake	9,134	12,652	55	109	612	77
Laporte	5,175	5,584	12	76	233	40
Lawrence	3,004	3,894	44	50	235	72
Madison	7,719	7,463	21	441	1,558	113
Marion	34,804	41,278	246	740	2,256	145
Marshall	3,114	2,814	86	208	75	7
Martin	1,505	1,496	5	19	25	73
Miami	3,769	3,401	80	209	304	20
Monroe	2,671	3,005	48	98	55	5
Montgomery	4,022	4,346	60	110	147	10
Morgan	2,562	2,846	29	83	109	7
Newton	1,259	1,887	171	39	33	5
Noble	2,990	3,346	9	116	32	2
Ohio	614	588	1	26	3	
Orange	2,043	2,442	19	38	52	5
Owen	1,756	1,555	25	41	95	
Park	2,245	2,548	13	179	202	17
Perry	1,996	1,721	11	12	21	1
Pike	2,148	2,135	4	53	185	13
Porter	1,775	2,785	55	38	66	1
Posey	2,626	2,240	6	80	22	2
Pulaski	1,385	1,450	204	58	27	1
Putnam	2,870	2,448	29	87	129	10
Randolph	2,757	3,904	81	474	124	9
Ripley	2,526	2,648	16	54	63	2
Rush	2,520	2,923	26	154	53	3

## VOTE FOR GOVERNOR—Continued.

COUNTIES	John A. M. Adair, Dem.	James P. Goodrich, Rep.	Thomas A. Daily, Prog.	Alfred L. Moudy, Proh.	William W. Tanner, Soc.	Joe B. Trunko, Soc. L.
Scott .....	1,037	781	9	30	5	
Shelby .....	3,839	3,150	41	237	76	3
Spencer .....	2,341	2,492	18	116	47	2
Starke .....	1,301	1,495	3	33	41	4
St. Joseph .....	9,503	7,943	355	429	658	58
Steuben .....	1,364	2,403	3	237	23	4
Sullivan .....	3,668	2,568	18	182	631	56
Switzerland .....	1,410	1,202		53	37	2
Tippecanoe .....	4,884	6,383	57	205	105	9
Tipton .....	2,311	2,148	13	190	62	4
Union .....	811	998	4	33	16	
Vanderburg .....	10,122	9,921	52	180	723	37
Vermillion .....	2,223	2,519	7	119	730	114
Vigo .....	10,420	9,178	106	523	1,798	98
Wabash .....	3,088	3,814	37	280	273	27
Warren .....	964	1,740	9	60	43	3
Warrick .....	2,226	2,405	155	89	57	3
Washington .....	2,318	1,842	11	44	25	2
Wayne .....	4,159	5,871	64	278	278	27
Wells .....	2,828	1,937	6	271	48	5
White .....	2,208	2,387	11	65	29	3
Whitley .....	2,454	2,175	4	157	25	2
Total .....	325,060	337,831	4,573	15,454	22,156	1,553

James P. Goodrich, having received a plurality of all the votes cast was declared duly elected Governor of the

State of Indiana for the ensuing term of four years.

## VOTE FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

COUNTIES	Mason J. Niblack, Dem.	Edgar D. Bush, Rep.	Milo J. Bowman, Prog.	Albert Stanley, Proh.	Samuel Condo, Soc.	William Holmes, Soc. L.
Adams . . . . .	2,783	1,741	7	149	18	2
Allen . . . . .	9,421	9,922	853	370	1,012	82
Bartholomew . . . . .	3,383	3,301	48	139	66	3
Benton . . . . .	1,448	1,826	16	53	23	
Blackford . . . . .	1,817	1,580	4	122	104	8
Boone . . . . .	3,469	3,360	48	133	81	6
Brown . . . . .	991	493		27	9	2
Carroll . . . . .	2,352	2,476	8	115	33	1
Cass . . . . .	5,060	4,850	18	204	123	10
Clark . . . . .	3,480	3,147	12	38	72	6
Clay . . . . .	3,251	3,053	18	105	538	10
Clinton . . . . .	3,587	3,603	10	174	112	7
Crawford . . . . .	1,451	1,191	5	144	51	1
Daviess . . . . .	3,057	3,132	38	111	199	17
Dearborn . . . . .	2,932	2,292	6	92	61	3
Decatur . . . . .	2,349	2,656	23	107	66	2
Dekalb . . . . .	3,229	2,858	15	233	132	12
Delaware . . . . .	5,748	7,026	51	373	436	22
Dubois . . . . .	3,015	1,431	8	48	23	8
Elkhart . . . . .	5,572	5,793	19	595	689	40
Fayette . . . . .	2,015	2,336	38	59	61	4
Floyd . . . . .	3,700	3,142	16	66	139	5
Fountain . . . . .	2,408	2,633	157	80	131	11
Franklin . . . . .	2,351	1,452	23	67	6	1
Fulton . . . . .	2,198	2,325	126	63	31	
Gibson . . . . .	3,676	3,533	26	115	205	14
Grant . . . . .	5,575	6,002	57	906	1,000	45
Greene . . . . .	3,840	3,776	65	170	798	21
Hamilton . . . . .	2,718	3,872	46	351	69	5
Hancock . . . . .	2,673	2,095	22	171	52	4
Harrison . . . . .	2,291	2,043	25	93	63	
Hendricks . . . . .	2,373	2,995	30	114	85	10
Henry . . . . .	3,485	4,358	188	263	271	18
Howard . . . . .	3,799	4,650	15	435	815	59
Huntington . . . . .	3,713	3,753	37	434	153	14

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Jackson .....	3,161	2,383	7	127	66	6
Jasper .....	1,424	1,933	11	31	9	
Jay .....	3,015	3,059	6	311	104	5
Jefferson .....	2,440	2,636	17	107	52	3
Jennings .....	1,606	1,757	19	56	32	
Johnson .....	3,066	2,433	35	108	54	5
Knox .....	5,295	4,685	18	123	903	100
Kosciusko .....	3,323	3,958	25	222	123	12
Lagrange .....	1,454	1,935	16	89	37	2
Lake .....	9,056	12,623	59	114	621	88
Laporte .....	5,162	5,582	11	78	234	41
Lawrence .....	3,000	3,696	39	51	238	2
Madison .....	7,698	7,444	22	449	1,559	114
Marion .....	34,383	41,248	200	754	2,264	145
Marshall .....	3,113	2,812	36	207	75	7
Martin .....	1,501	1,498	4	19	25	3
Miami .....	3,786	3,370	79	208	307	20
Monroe .....	2,663	3,005	50	99	56	6
Montgomery .....	4,012	4,329	58	111	151	9
Morgan .....	2,557	2,842	28	83	109	7
Newton .....	1,262	1,385	165	43	33	5
Noble .....	2,987	3,340	9	117	32	2
Ohio .....	614	587	1	26	3	
Orange .....	2,035	2,451	18	38	52	5
Owen .....	1,751	1,555	25	41	95	
Parke .....	2,243	2,544	11	179	202	17
Perry .....	1,993	1,718	11	12	26	1
Pike .....	2,147	2,131	8	55	185	13
Porter .....	1,738	2,774	91	33	66	1
Posey .....	2,623	2,237	6	81	23	2
Pulaski .....	1,365	1,462	208	59	26	
Putnam .....	2,871	2,436	28	88	129	10
Randolph .....	2,613	3,924	94	491	127	8
Ripley .....	2,524	2,644	17	62	63	2
Rush .....	2,510	2,925	25	154	53	3

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Scott.....	1,035	781	8	30	4	
Shelby.....	3,818	3,162	41	237	75	3
Spencer.....	2,329	2,494	20	116	47	2
Starke.....	1,287	1,515	2	32	41	4
St. Joseph.....	9,471	7,867	361	431	663	63
Steuben.....	1,361	2,399	5	239	23	4
Sullivan.....	3,656	2,551	17	184	627	58
Switzerland.....	1,411	1,204		53	37	2
Tippecanoe.....	4,874	6,400	51	209	105	9
Tipton.....	2,299	2,151	13	192	62	4
Union.....	811	997	5	33	16	1
Vanderburg.....	10,119	9,934	50	179	727	37
Vermillion.....	2,222	2,514	6	118	731	114
Vigo.....	10,448	9,091	99	525	1,809	100
Wabash.....	3,078	3,811	38	279	271	29
Warren.....	954	1,726	11	61	44	3
Warrick.....	2,216	2,404	153	92	58	4
Washington.....	2,307	1,855	9	43	25	1
Wayne.....	4,805	5,965	64	281	292	29
Wells.....	2,819	1,892	7	274	49	5
White.....	2,200	2,387	13	67	31	2
Whitley.....	2,453	2,171	4	158	25	2
Total.....	324,174	337,308	4,507	15,479	21,623	1,573

The Speaker also announced that Edgar D. Bush having received a plurality of all the votes cast, was duly elected Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Indiana for the ensuing term of four years.

The Lieutenant-Governor announced that "The business of the joint session having been accomplished, the joint session is now adjourned".

The House repaired to the corridors of the state house to witness the inauguration of James P. Goodrich as Governor.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Charles A. Johnson, pastor of the Christian church, of Gas City, Indiana.

The oath of office was then administered by Judge Moses B. Lairy, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Indiana, and Governor James P. Goodrich delivered the following inaugural address:

Senators, Representatives and Fellow Citizens:

I am not insensible of the great honor conferred upon me by an election to the high office of Governor of Indiana,

nor am I ignorant of the responsibilities of this position, so I do not come to you to-day with an exaltation of spirit, but rather with a deep sense of the obligation to all of the people of the commonwealth which this honor imposes upon me.

I am fully aware of my own limitations. You do not require of me the impossible. You do expect of me however, honest and earnest endeavor—moved by no consideration save that of the public welfare. You rightfully demand of me that whatever ability I possess, whatever of good lies in me shall be devoted unselfishly to the general good and that obligation I shall discharge to the uttermost.

Responsibility to the people and faithfulness to public trust is the best answer which can be made to those who insist that democracy is a failure and is the surest safeguard of our free institutions.

If in the administration of the State's affairs, we make efficiency, not partisan advantage, the standard; if in the enforcement of the laws we act impartially; if in the enactment of laws there is honest, wise and courageous action with respect to the matters dealt with, we shall disarm much reckless and unintelligent criticism and restore the confidence of the people in their Government. I believe in the good sense and honesty of the people and am certain they desire an administration of public affairs conducted in the interest of the state as a whole and not for any special interests. This they ought to have; they should not be satisfied with anything less.

Asking for the confidence and support of all the people and relying especially upon the assistance of their representatives in the General Assembly, I enter upon the discharge of the duties of the office of Governor of Indiana with but one purpose and one ambition and that is so to conduct the affairs of the

office as to justify, at the hands of the people at the termination of four years, the words, "WELL DONE."

The speaker called the House to order at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

The oath of office was administered to Errol A. Tucker, Representative-elect of Bartholomew county.

Houghton offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a committee of four (4) be appointed to wait upon the Senate and invite the members thereof together with the Lieutenant-Governor to attend a joint session of the General Assembly in the hall of the House to hear the Governor in the presentation of his message, and to request the appointment of four (4) members of the Senate to act with said committee of the House to wait upon the Governor for the purpose of ascertaining when it will suit his convenience to make known whatever communication he may have to offer to the General Assembly and at the convenience of the Governor to escort him to the hall of the House of Representatives.

HOUGHTON.

Which motion prevailed.

The speaker appointed the following committee: Houghton, McGonagle, Durham and Ryan.

The House again recessed, and the Senate being present in the House of Representatives, the joint session was called to order by Lieutenant-Governor Edgar D. Bush.

Governor James P. Goodrich was introduced and delivered his message, as follows:

Gentlemen of the General Assembly:

The particular question before us is that of putting the state's business on

a strict business basis with an attendant increase in efficiency—the universal complement of intelligent economy.

The questions with which we will have to deal during the session of the General Assembly have little to do with national politics. In the consideration and settlement of the questions concerning the state's business, no partisan advantage attaches, save that which accrues to an individual or party which renders faithful and efficient service to the public. I trust that in both legislation and administration we may be able to rise above mere partisan consideration. In expressing this hope, I wish to detract nothing from the importance of political parties but on the contrary to argue against the abuses of political parties which come from exalting partisan considerations to the detriment of the general welfare.

While I hope that the majority of the members of the Legislature will be disposed to stand together in all matters covered by the pledges of the party in power to the people of this state, on the other hand, I trust that party affiliations may not interfere with the business before the Legislature; that the view of the minority members may have due weight in our deliberations and that we may all work together as representatives of all the people of the state for the common good.

I shall be glad, of course, to confer at any time with the members of the General Assembly on matters pending before it and the Executive branch of the state government.

I do not believe in executive dictation but I do believe that the executive, as well as the General Assembly, is bound to carry into effect the promises made to the people in a political campaign, and I shall recommend such legislation as I believe necessary to fulfill these pledges and such legislation as I believe to be demanded in

behalf of the public we are sworn to serve.

It is possible for us to render a great service not only to the people of our state but to the cause of representative government by undertaking in a business-like way to establish both economy and efficiency in the conduct of the state's affairs.

In doing this we must all adhere to the theory that "he serves his party best who serves his country best."

While this applies to all parties it is more difficult, however, for a majority party to apply this theory than it is for a minority party.

The people are growing restive under the increasing cost of government. While they must realize that with the increasing functions of the state, undertaken in the light of its enlarged responsibility, and because of an advancing conception of the state's duties to the people, there must follow a constant increase in the cost of the government, yet they also understand that this condition demands the greatest economy in the conduct of the public business if democracy is not to break down of its own weight. To establish rigid standards of economy should be the unyielding determination of those charged with public responsibility. There should be such careful examination of all demands upon the treasury that every dollar expended may be fully justified. Unnecessary expenditure should be cut without fear or favor and there should be no weakness in refusing demands upon the public treasury made either in behalf of selfish interests or misguided sentiment. If the public business is so conducted we thereby fix a standard of civic duty and official conduct which is bound to exert an important influence upon the loyalty and confidence of the people in their state government.

Whenever we fill the state or national capitol with unnecessary employees;



whenever we pad the public payrolls with sinecures and whenever we waste the public funds in unnecessary or extravagant appropriations, we tend to bring the government itself into contempt, discredit the state as a factor in the daily life of our people and contribute to a feeling of distrust by the people with regard to those who occupy high public places.

We have just celebrated the Centennial of Indiana; we are proud of the history of our commonwealth; we are not ashamed as a whole of the standards of public service which have been maintained and which year by year are growing higher. We may well aspire, however, to the distinction of establishing as the "Indiana Idea" in state government, the maintenance of the same standards of economy, efficiency and service which prevail in the conduct of the most efficiently managed private business. To bring this about will require some sacrifice of our own personal interests and feelings. People demand economy and efficiency in the abstract, but are not always individually so anxious for it when the execution of the plan conflicts with their own interests.

We shall have to disappoint many of our friends in the work we undertake and to be content to receive much of our reward in the consciousness of duty performed.

We do not wish to restrict, but rather to widen the service rendered by the state to the people, particularly to the state's dependents in the care of our public institutions and likewise to those served by our educational system.

Many recommendations will be made to the Legislature for the construction of new buildings and for the establishment of new state institutions. Unless there is absolute and imperative need

for the immediate accomplishment of such work it should be deferred until industrial conditions are more nearly normal than they are at the present time. This policy not only will enable the state to construct additional buildings and new institutions at a much lower cost, but at the same time will furnish employment to our citizens when such employment will be needed more than it is under existing conditions. For this reason I recommend that the greatest scrutiny be shown and the greatest care exercised in authorizing appropriations for such purposes.

I am convinced from a casual survey of the business of the state that there are numerous offices which can be abolished without any detriment whatever to the public service but on the contrary, in many cases, will result in actually increasing its efficiency.

In making the recommendations hereinafter set out with regard to the elimination of public officials, the consolidation of various bureaus and offices. I want the General Assembly to know I have no purpose in view except to promote the administration of the public business. It would be far easier personally for me to yield to the demand for places from the party whose candidate for Governor I was in the last election, than it is to recommend the elimination of the offices hereinafter set out, but I am convinced that a point has been reached where the severest retrenchment must be practiced and the greatest care exercised in conducting the business of the state.

I shall submit to you for your consideration certain bills embodying in greater detail these recommendations and hold myself in readiness at all times to meet with you or the committee to whom the various bills may be referred.

# EXPENDITURE OF PUBLIC FUNDS.

There has been an increasing tendency of late years to make open appropriations, leaving the expenditure of public money entirely under the control of the various boards, commissions, and departmental heads.

Believing as I do in centralizing the control of the expenditure of public funds in the executive and in holding him responsible, I believe that a law should be passed requiring the approval of the executive in the expenditure of all funds of this character. He should have nothing to do with the personnel of the employees or with their selection, but he should have something to say about the salaries paid and the amount of money expended for a particular purpose and I, therefore, recommend that a bill be passed in accordance with this suggestion.

## THE OIL DEPARTMENT.

We have in the state at this time fifty-nine oil deputies and chief oil inspectors in the state house and the local office under his charge, for which service in fees, salaries and expenses they are receiving approximately \$125,000 each year.

I recommend that the entire oil department, as now constituted, be abolished at once; that the work now being done by this department, be turned over to the Pure Food and Drug Department; that the Commissioner be authorized to increase his present three of deputies by not more than three; that he be allowed an additional chemist and a sufficient increase in the appropriation for his department to cover the added expense. That the fees as now charged be paid into the State Treasury.

## STATE STATISTICIAN.

I recommend that the office of State Statistician be abolished and that the statistical part of the work now being performed by this official be transferred to the executive department, the collection of statistics to be made by the various offices, departments and bureaus of the state government and published by direction of the Governor, with the co-operation of the Bureau of Legislative and Administrative Information; that the work of the employment bureau be transferred to the Industrial Commission. In order that the newly elected State Statistician shall suffer no material loss on account of the abolition of his office, if this recommendation is followed out, I will appoint Mr. Roberts to a position with a salary equivalent to the one now fixed for his office. Many thousand dollars can be saved by the abolition of this office and the distribution of the work as indicated.

## ATTORNEY GENERAL.

The office of Attorney General is a legislative office. It is the law construing branch of the state service and the legal arm of the executive and administrative departments of state government. In addition to \$19,200 expended every year for the payment of salaries in the Attorney General's office, the state is now paying out large sums of money for legal assistants in the various departments. The State Board of Tax Commissioners is spending \$2,500 a year for special counsel; the State Fire Marshal employs a legal assistant at \$2,000 annually; the State Board of Accounts employs a legal advisor at \$2,800 annually. Besides the \$6,000 expended annually by the Public Service Commission in payment

of the salary of its General Counsel, the Public Service Commission has expended over \$3,600 since its creation in 1913 for special legal counsel. All this has become a serious financial burden. Any legal advice needed by any officer, bureau or department of the state government ought to be furnished by the Attorney General and I am convinced that the office of the Attorney General should be made appointive.

I, therefore, recommend that the office be abolished as an elective office; that the Governor be authorized to appoint an Attorney General; that the Attorney General and deputies under him shall be the legal advisors of the various commissions and boards of the state; that all authority now enjoyed by officers, boards, bureaus and commissions to employ special counsel be abolished.

If this recommendation is carried into effect, Mr. Stansbury, the present Attorney General will be appointed to the position of Attorney General and I am fully convinced that the legal work of the various boards and commissions of the state itself can be performed more economically and efficiently than it has been in the past.

#### PUBLIC LIBRARY COMMISSION.

The work of the Public Library Commission and the State Library, in my judgment should be combined under one commission of four members. The libraries are a large factor in the educational system of the state and their efficient co-operation will be fostered by having the two different state agencies co-ordinated under the management of a single commission.

#### THE LEGAL CLERK TO THE GOVERNOR.

I recommend that the office of the legal clerk to the Governor be immediately abolished. All legal advice needed

by the Governor should be furnished by the Attorney General.

#### QUARTER-MASTER GENERAL.

I call your attention to the fact that, effective last year, the Federal Government, under the National Guard law, is paying to the Quarter-Master General of this State \$1,000 a year for his services rendered to the Federal Government. This makes his salary in this state, \$800.00 in excess of that of the Adjutant-General, his superior officer.

I recommend that the salary of the Quarter-Master General be reduced \$1,000 a year.

#### CONSERVATION COMMISSION.

I recommend that the office of State Fish and Game Commission as now constituted be abolished; that the State Board of Forestry, the offices of State Geologist and State Entomologist be abolished and that there be created a commission of four, not more than two of whom shall belong to any one political party, to be known as a Conservation Commission, which Commission shall serve without pay and have charge of and carry on the work now performed by the State Board of Forestry, the State Fish and Game Commissioner, State Geologist and State Entomologist and also have charge of the public parks of the state; that they be authorized to carry on the work now authorized by law in the boards and offices abolished, and to select and employ the force necessary to do such work. The Commission should be authorized to call on the State Educational Institutions for assistance. These institutions can be most helpful to the Commission without any additional expense to the state.

I recommend in the enactment of this law that the work of the conservation of the fish, game and bird life of the state be separated from the law

enforcing branch of the service and that a Chief Game Warden, with an adequate number of deputies, be appointed to have charge of the enforcement of the law and that experts be appointed by the Commission to look after the propagation of fish, game and birds in the state.

The creation of a non-partisan, non-salaried commission will make it certain that this work be kept out of politics and the work be made an efficient branch of the public service instead of merely an avenue for the reward of "deserving" partisans.

### ABOLISHMENT OF USELESS OFFICES.

There are numerous other offices that may be abolished without any detriment to the public service and at the same time result in saving considerable sums of money to the state. Recommendations for the abolition of many of these offices will come from the state officials with whom I have conferred with respect to them and I shall not go into details at this time.

In addition to the positions named elsewhere the position of clerk to the Public Service Commission should be abolished; the position of inspector of locomotive engines and boilers in the Public Service Commission; one of the clerks in the office of Clerk of the Supreme Court and in the Industrial Board; one clerk should be required to act for the factory, mine and boiler inspection department. The salary of the statistical clerk who receives \$1,500 should be reduced to \$1,000 a year and the number of clerks cut down from six to three.

The survey elsewhere referred to will undoubtedly develop other unnecessary offices that can be abolished but this can be accomplished through executive order and without any legislation on that particular subject.

### THREE-MILE ROAD LAW.

The Three-Mile Road Law was originally enacted for the purpose of enabling County Commissioners to connect existing improved highways. It has been perverted from its intended use and millions of dollars expended each year in the construction of short highways, three miles or under in length. It is needless to say that this is a wasteful and inefficient method of constructing highways and the law should be repealed.

### STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION.

The time has come when there should be created in Indiana a State Highway Commission, made up of four members, not more than two of whom should belong to any one political party. They should serve without salary, their expenses to be paid by the state. They should be given authority to establish main roads throughout the state, for the construction of which state aid is to be rendered. The aid of the state should be limited to roads established by the Commission and the construction of such roads under the direction of this commission should be limited to a permanent wearing surface to be fixed by the commission and its engineers. In addition to the general public benefit, there is a special benefit to the property along which said highways are constructed and for that reason the law should authorize county commissioners to cause to be assessed against abutting property according to benefits, an amount not exceeding one-fourth of the total cost of the road.

State aid should be limited to permanent roads. An examination of the reports of the Highway Commission of New York and other states shows that the difference between the cost of repair and maintenance of roads constructed with a wearing surface of brick or cement and the ordinary water-

bound asphalt or gravel highways is sufficient not only to pay the interest on bonds issued for the construction of permanent roads but to retire the bonds in the course of twenty years. If the aid of the state is limited strictly to roads of a permanent nature they will, if properly constructed and cared for, last for many generations.

#### DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE.

I recommend that there be created in Indiana a department to be known as the Department of Banking and Insurance which shall be separate from the work of the Auditor of State and that the work now being performed by the Auditor with respect to banks, trust companies, mortgage loan companies, insurance, building and loan companies be transferred to this department.

I recommend that the Governor be authorized to appoint the head thereof; that the employees be placed, as far as possible, upon a non-partisan, non-political basis and be protected in their positions as long as they render efficient service to the state.

#### FIRE INSURANCE.

The condition revealed by the investigation made under the direction of Governor Ralston, relative to the conduct of the business of the fire insurance companies of Indiana, discloses most clearly a situation which calls for the most serious consideration by the state.

Fire insurance, though a private contract, is not one in which its cost is determined by free agreement between the parties. Rates are fixed by rating or inspection bureaus. It is essential that these bureaus exist, as the individual companies should not make their own rates without making the cost prohibitive. It is not in the public interest that this

power should be exercised without state supervision and regulation. The state should assume the power to regulate rates of insurance and to put a stop to rebating and discrimination.

#### REDUCTION ON TAX LEVY.

I recommend that the Sinking Fund Levy be abolished and that the Vocational Education Levy be reduced one-half cent.

When the appropriation bills shall have been completed and action taken upon the revenue measures herein proposed, I shall make such further recommendations with respect to the further reduction of state tax levy as the facts may warrant.

#### EXCISE TAX.

I call your attention to the fact that the state tax rate for all purposes in Indiana, now 40.10 cents on the \$100 is the highest of any state in the Union. This is due largely to the fact that while the most of the states have resorted to excise taxes of different kinds for the purpose of raising revenue, Indiana has confined itself, almost exclusively to a direct tax on property within the state.

I believe that, in harmony with the practice of other states, we should turn our attention to, caring for the increasing needs of the state, by excise and other indirect taxes and in this way diminish the burden now being borne under the general property tax.

I, therefore, recommend that reasonable excise taxes be levied on public service and other domestic and foreign corporations doing business in Indiana; and that the tax levied on insurance companies be increased.

#### ASSESSMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION.

From reports made to the Public Service Commission of the amount of taxes paid by public service corpora-

tions in the state, it appears that while many public service corporations are contributing as low as two percent of their gross income, others are paying as high as fifteen percent. It is clear from an examination of the records that the taxes on these public service corporations have not been fairly or equally adjusted; they are grossly inadequate in some cases and almost confiscatory in others.

I, therefore, recommend, in order that there may be uniformity in the assessment of these corporations that they be brought under the jurisdiction of the State Board of Tax Commissioners and their assessments fixed by this Board.

#### PUBLICATION OF REPORTS.

Large sums of money are wasted every year in the publication of needless and unread reports of the various state officials and heads of departments. Thousands of dollars can be saved not only by a condensation of these reports but by a centralization of the authority to publish them.

I recommend that all reports of the various offices and departments be made to the Governor and that the Governor be authorized to have published a Year Book to be signed by the various state officers, giving in condensed form the essential and useful parts of the reports of the various state officials and departments of the state's activity.

At a later date I will lay before the proper committees having charge of the bill touching this subject, full and detailed information with respect to this matter.

#### PUBLICATION OF LAW BOOKS.

Since 1891 the state has undertaken to publish and distribute to the lawyers of Indiana the reports of the Supreme and Appellate Courts at \$1.50 a volume. Under the existing conditions this

price is not adequate to meet the cost of production and the books are being handled at a loss to the state. The actual cost of printing the Supreme Court reports is approximately \$1.83 a volume. The average cost of printing the Appellate Court reports is about \$2.00 a volume. The state also is at a large additional expense annually on account of the clerical force employed and the postage and express paid for the distribution of these books. The result is that the state has been losing thousands of dollars annually in order to furnish the lawyers these reports.

I can see no reason why the state should incur a loss in furnishing lawyers with these reports. I recommend that the law fixing the sale price at \$1.50 a volume be repealed and that an investigation as to the actual cost of the work be made immediately, and that the state printing board shall be authorized to fix a price on these books that will fully compensate the state for the cost of publication and distribution.

#### WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION.

An examination of the reports of the Industrial Board shows that over eighty per cent of the workingmen injured in the course of their employment come within the fourteen days waiting period and receive no compensation for the injury sustained. This leaves but twenty percent to be compensated and this twenty percent carries forty-five percent of the economic loss resulting through their injuries.

These facts in my judgment clearly demonstrate the unfairness and injustice of the two weeks waiting period since it throws nearly ninety percent of the economic loss upon the workingmen and I recommend, therefore, that the law be amended so as to shorten the waiting period from fourteen to seven days.

## VOCATIONAL EDUCATION.

All political parties and all other parties and groups, so far as I know, are committed to the program of vocational education. I hope we may have a healthy development of the program though we ought to insist on the principle of a dollar's worth of service for every one hundred cents expended. If we proceed carefully in the execution of the various steps in the movement for vocational education, we ought to accomplish a work of enduring merit in the scientific training of our boys and girls to be economically independent units of society.

The laws of this state already require children who are not employed to attend school under 16 years of age. I am inclined to believe the law ought to be amended so as to require all children who are employed, up to the age of 16 years, to return to school for part-time instruction. This step is in line with present educational tendencies and Indiana can not afford to postpone the step very long.

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

The Republican party in its last state platform pledged the enactment of a law giving to cities an opportunity to adopt the commission or the city manager form of municipal government. This pledge was made in the light of present tendencies in municipal government and I recommend that a law be passed giving cities such right.

## ABSENT VOTING.

Our present constitution requires the votes of voters to be cast in the precinct. I see no reason why provision should not be made even under the present constitution whereby voters unavoidably detained from home on election day could mail their vote to their precinct and have it cast and counted in the precinct.

Seventeen states have a similar law and in my opinion we should have such in this state. I, therefore, recommend that a law be passed permitting voters absent from their home on election day to mail their vote to the inspector and have it cast and counted the same as though they were present in person.

## PUBLIC HEALTH.

The conservation of public health is now recognized as a problem demanding consideration of all enlightened governments. The discoveries in hygiene have been many and our state should not be slow to give them practical application. There is no economy that is superior to disease prevention. I therefore heartily recommend to the General Assembly the enactment of wise measures calculated to protect and improve the public health.

## PURCHASE OF OLD STATE CAPITOL.

The original capitol building of the state of Indiana at Corydon is a landmark of the state. Its purchase by the state has been under consideration for the past two years. It should be preserved by the state as a memorial of the beginning of our commonwealth if it can be purchased at a price equivalent to the ground value, and if Harrison county will assume perpetual care.

## ACCEPTANCE OF GIFTS.

There is a growing tendency among those possessed of great wealth to regard such possession as a trust and to dedicate their money for public purposes.

We should have a law in this state authorizing the Governor and the State Board of Finance to accept gifts, devises and bequests for the use of the state, or for any of its institu-

tions, educational, charitable or correctional, or for park purposes or any other public use and to make contracts, when necessary, with those desiring to make such gifts and bequests; to pay annuities upon such sums during the life of the donor.

I recommend that a law be passed conferring such power upon the Governor and the State Board of Finance.

### IMPEACHMENT LAW.

Our processes of impeachment and of removing from public office officials who are faithless to the trust imposed upon them are too tedious and intricate to be effective remedies in the hands of the people.

I recommend the simplification of our impeachment law so as to make it possible to obtain the speedy removal from official places of those who fail to discharge their duty, or are guilty of such misconduct as to justify their removal.

### EFFICIENCY SURVEY.

I recommend, that a complete efficiency survey of all offices, institutions and bureaus of the State of Indiana, shall be made. Its purpose is to eliminate duplication, waste, leakage and false motion in the operation of the state government and may be compared to similar surveys made by every well managed private corporation. Such survey ought to permit further economies and the introduction of strictly business methods in the management of the state's affairs.

In order to carry into effect the proposed survey and to effect such immediate changes and modifications as can be made under executive direction and without authority of the General Assembly, I ask that a reasonable sum be set aside to be used under the direction of the executive for the purpose

of making surveys of the various institutions of the state that better methods of administration may be put into effect; that the result of such survey be submitted to the next General Assembly for their consideration.

### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

I submit to you for your consideration certain proposed amendments to the Constitution of our State, which I believe in the public interest should be passed by the General Assembly for final submission to the people of the state for their ratification.

### BUDGET SYSTEM.

The finances of our state call for a more centralized and responsible control. Sound public policy requires that effective measures be adopted for giving the Governor power over the budget which is commensurate with the present responsibility really vested in him by popular opinion. Nothing short of thorough-going treatment of the subject which will impose on the Governor the duty of formulating, submitting and defending all budget bills will solve the problem of securing economy and responsibility in the conduct of public business.

I therefore recommend that a joint resolution be passed submitting a constitutional amendment by the terms of which there shall be prepared, under executive direction, a budget for submission to the Legislature and that when such budget is submitted, while any one or more items may be reduced they can not be increased. The amendment should further provide that the Governor shall be authorized to veto any one or more items in any appropriation bill.



### TAX REFORM.

I recommend the adoption of a resolution submitting an amendment to the constitution authorizing the Legislature to classify property, and a further amendment in connection with this fixing a constitutional limitation upon the tax rate.

### INCREASE OF SALARIES.

We have witnessed at almost every session of the Legislature a constant demand on the part of public officials elected or appointed to office, to have their salaries increased.

I believe that there should be a constitutional prohibition against this practice and I therefore recommend a constitutional amendment prohibiting the increase of the salary of any public official for the term of office for which he shall have been elected or appointed.

### REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

Under the constitution, no registration law can be passed, except that which would apply alike to all the voters of the state. It is clearly unnecessary to incur the expense of registering voters in Indiana in more than eight or ten counties. An amendment to the constitution authorizing the Legislature to classify counties for registration purposes not only would result in saving large sums of money to the tax payers of the state, but also would save much unnecessary trouble to our citizens.

I, therefore, recommend that an amendment to the constitution be submitted authorizing the classification of counties and cities for registration purposes.

### STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

This office is a constitutional office at the present time, and this official is elected by the people of the state;

this office should be an appointive one and should be made on merit for an indefinite term of years and the official be permitted to retain his place so long as he renders efficient service to the state.

I recommend that an amendment be submitted authorizing the appointment of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

### CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

The present constitution of Indiana was adopted over sixty years ago when the needs of our state were comparatively simple. Naturally our State Charter was drafted to meet conditions as they existed at that time. Since 1851 our State Government has become so complex that many of the provisions of the constitution which were in point sixty years ago, no longer cover our present conditions of society.

Sixty years ago interurbans, telegraphs, telephones, electric light and power plants, were unknown. Practically, all property was of a tangible nature and our present methods of doing business through corporations were undeveloped. We were almost altogether an agricultural people and our industrial development while not wholly unforeseen, was not anticipated in its details.

In this message I have already pointed out certain important measures, especially the proposed remedies for the inequalities of taxation, which require for their consummation constitutional amendments. It has been found almost impossible to amend the present constitution by the method proposed in the constitution itself, yet there is an immediate need for the changes specifically indicated and for other changes in conformity with the changed industrial and commercial fabric of society. The public interest requires that there be no further delay in changing the

constitution so that we may meet squarely the important problems which confront us at this time. I believe, as a matter of fact, that these changes can be accomplished more satisfactorily through a constitutional convention than through any other method.

The question of holding a constitutional convention has been under public discussion for a number of years and therefore, is not a new issue. At various times the Republican party has declared in favor of holding a convention to draft a new constitution and in the recent campaign, it declared in favor of a number of important amendments in which the people generally have deep concern because of the great benefit which I am sure will be derived from an immediate revision of the constitution. I feel justified in proposing that this Legislature shall call a constitutional convention, to convene in January, 1918. I recommend that the General Assembly provide for the election of a suitable number of delegates at large and the conduct of the election on a strictly non-partisan basis.

If this recommendation should be approved by the General Assembly, then no consideration need be given to the specific amendments hereinbefore suggested, as they can all be determined by the convention itself.

#### CONCLUSION.

I have not attempted in this message to cover all or even very many of the questions likely to arise during the present session of the General Assembly. I have purposely limited the scope of my message in the hope of focusing attention upon the issues of economical and efficient government. I venture to suggest, in order that the Governor may not be unduly burdened in the closing days or hours of the Legislature with a mass of legislation, and that the

members of the General Assembly may have a real opportunity to deliberate and intelligently to determine matters within your jurisdiction; that the value of time be placed as high at the beginning of your session as at the end; that committees be required to report promptly on measures before them for consideration; that unnecessary adjournments be avoided.

I think it is not unjust to say that it has been customary for the Legislature to waste time in the earlier stages of the session and that in the closing hours there is usually such a deluge of business that few know what is going on. Such methods of procedure give opportunity to throttle good legislation and make easy the enactment of much bad legislation.

We are alike representatives of all the people of the state. Let us recognize our obligation to them, and realize that the proper discharge of that trust makes it imperative that we should approach the solution of the questions before us influenced by no private or personal consideration whatever, but moved only by sincere and unselfish desire to promote the welfare of the commonwealth.

The speaker called the House to order and the Committee on Legislative Patronage reports as follows:

#### MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Legislative Patronage begs leave to submit the following report and list of appointments for positions indicated in conformity with House Resolution No. 1, to wit:

Clerks of the House of Representatives:  
Calvin Faris, Nelson A. Sampson,  
Charles Jones, John W. Thiel, Charles  
E. McClaskey, Homer Matthews,  
Guy E. Howren, Asa J. Smith,  
E. B. Marsh.

**Doorkeepers of the House of Representatives:**

Taylor Hamilton, E. V. Newlin,  
E. R. Dobbins, John H. Baker,  
Elmer Comer, J. J. Shaw, Arthur La-  
Count.

**Pages of the House of Representatives:**

Harold Adair, George Frost, Jr.,  
Michael Jefferson, Philip W. Weaver,  
Hughes Updegraph.

**Janitors of the House of Representatives:**

James Bailey, Walter Marshall, Wil-  
liam Carr.

**Stenographers of the House of Representatives:**

Miss Lucile Townsend, Miss Ruth J.  
McNutt, Miss Grace Thompson,  
Miss Ella Groninger, Miss Pearl  
Samson, Miss Fern Ale.

**Postmaster of the House of Representatives:**

James S. Birch.

**Cloak Room Custodian of the House of Representatives:**

Hayes Wilson.

**Engrossing Typewriters of the House of Representatives:**

Charles B. Waldron, Floyd Blough,  
Charles Martin.

The committee makes these appointments for the representative positions, subject to change of assignment at any time for cause by the speaker of the House, or the Committee on Legislative Patronage; and the speaker shall have general charge and supervision of all said employees, and all other employees hereafter appointed.

Signed,

ROBERT W. McCLASKEY,  
Chairman.

CHARLES A. MCGONAGLE,  
JAMES E. SOUTHARD,  
IRA A. KESSLER,  
H. Q. HOUGHTON.

**Committee on Legislative Patronage.**

Report of committee was adopted.

McGonagle moves that the House adjourn to meet at 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday January 9, 1917.

Which motion prevailed.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker of the House.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of the House.

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**TUESDAY MORNING.**

January 9, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George B. Henninger, of the Edwin Ray Methodist Church, Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Adams, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Eschbach, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hougham, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Pulaski, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wines-

burg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 92.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Burt, Dilworth, Hartke, Jacoby, Jameson, Miltenberger, Turner, Waltz. Total 8.

On request of Mr. McGonagle, the House, by unanimous consent excused Representative Miltenberger until Thursday on account of the death of a relative.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of January 8th to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miller, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Blackmore, who moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the custodian shall, under instructions from the principal clerk, arrange for the use of such rooms as are necessary for the conduct of business of the House, and further prepare the rooms for service.

DAVID BLACKMORE.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Johnson from Grant offered a petition from the voters of Grant county, which petition was referred by the speaker to the Committee on Public Morals.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that Earl Garrett, of the City of Indianapolis, be accorded the cigar and news stand privileges of the House.

McGONAGLE.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Scott offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, that when a member hands up a bill, he may have the privilege of asking that it be referred to a committee of his selection, except when such bills may involve constitutional or legal questions, then the speaker may designate the proper committee.

SCOTT.

On motion of McGonagle, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

Bills were introduced, read a first time and referred to Committees as follows:

House Bill No. 1, by Mr. Anderson:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred seventy-six (176) and one hundred seventy-nine (179) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1915, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 2, by Mr. Anderson:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act fixing the salaries of Judges of the Circuit and Superior Courts of this State, and when the same shall be paid, and providing in what manner the Judges in counties containing cities of a certain population such salaries may be increased, and how and

when such increase shall be paid, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1893, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 8, 1915, and declaring an emergency, approved February 24, 1913, and declaring an emergency."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 3, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled, "An act concerning the construction of free gravel, stone or other macadamized roads, and for the payment of the cost thereof, and for the maintenance of same" and declaring an emergency, approved March 9, 1903, and all acts amendatory thereto and supplemental thereto."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 4, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act regulating the manner of crossing steam and electric railroads by school wagons and providing penalty for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 5, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act providing for the organization of county boards and prescribing some of their powers and duties," approved June 17, 1852.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

House Bill No. 6, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act fixing the time for holding court in the 53rd Judicial

Circuit of Indiana, and regulating the terms of the Circuit Court thereof; declaring when the same shall take effect, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 7, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act concerning voluntary associations and stockholders therein, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 8, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) and to repeal section three (3) of an act entitled, "An act levying an annual state tax for the purpose of raising revenue for the general fund, benevolent institution fund, the state debt sinking fund and state educational institution fund; providing the method of payment from the state treasury; and authorizing the transfer of unexpended balances in the general fund and the benevolent institution fund; saving rights to endowments and permanent funds, and taxes heretofore levied and appropriation heretofore made, providing that unexpended balances in the educational institution funds shall not revert to the general fund; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 9, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act to amend section sixteen (16) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement,

maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913, repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 10, by Mr. Harris:

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning the Lake Superior Court, and declaring an emergency," approved February 22, 1911, and providing for a clerk of said court.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 11, by Mr. Southard.

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred fifty-five (255) of an act entitled "An act concerning the proceedings in civil cases," approved March 7, 1881.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 12, by Mr. Houghton:

A bill for an act to repeal an act providing for the levying of taxes for township funds, approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

House Bill No. 13, by Mr. Mushett:

A bill for an act providing that operators of mines shall furnish shot firers in mines where shooting and blasting is done, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Mines and Mining.

House Bill No. 14, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act establishing the route of Thomas Lincoln through the State of Indiana and marking the same with proper markers, and providing for the expense thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 15, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act creating the 69th Judicial Circuit and defining the second Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana, fixing the time for holding courts therein, and providing for the appointment of a Judge and Prosecuting Attorney.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 16, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act for the protection of fish in Lake Michigan.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 17, by Mr. Bartel:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act for the protection of owners and keepers of hotels, inns, restaurants and eating houses, defining certain misdemeanors and their penalties, creating liens on certain property and providing for the enforcement of the provisions hereof," approved March 3, 1897.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 18, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act defining motor vehicles and providing for the regis-

tration, number and regulation of the same, defining chauffeurs and providing for the examination and licensing thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

Mr. McGonagle of Delaware moved that the House be now adjourned until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Which motion was carried, and the House adjourned.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker of House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING.

January 10, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. George W. Watson of the First Christian Church, Lafayette.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham Dynes, Eickenberry, Eisterhold, Eschbach, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg,

Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesberg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 96.

Those absent:

Messrs. Green, Miltenberger and Tucker. Total 3.

Representative Jinnett was excused for the day.

The speaker ordered the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 19, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1) and four (4) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one hundred seven (107), one hundred eight (108), one hundred nine (109), one hundred eleven (111), one hundred twelve (112) and two hundred sixty-five (265) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations" approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one hundred ten (110), one hundred fifteen (115) and one hundred sixteen (116) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905," approved March 12, 1907, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 20, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act prohibiting a father who has been ordered by any court in this state to pay for the support and maintenance of his child or children, to fail to make such payment, and from leaving the State of Indiana and being absent therefrom during such delinquency, stating certain defenses, and providing penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 21, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act to amend section three hundred and twenty-nine (329) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 17, 1881, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 22, by Messrs. Habermel, Davis of Lake, Douglas and Gentry:

A bill for an act authorizing the purchase of the Old State Capitol Building and the Public Square in the town of Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana, by the State of Indiana from Harrison County, Indiana, appropriating funds for such purposes, providing the terms and conditions upon which said Old State Capitol Building and Public Square may be purchased, and providing for such conditions of said purchase as shall be inserted in the deed from the Board of Commissioners of Harrison County, Indiana, to the State of Indiana, conveying said property to the State of Indiana, and creating

a commission to buy said building and a commission to have charge of the same, providing that said building shall be maintained as a memorial to the pioneers, who established the commonwealth of Indiana, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 23, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to enable counties to establish and maintain public hospitals, levy a tax and issue bonds therefor; elect hospital trustees, maintain training schools for nurses, provide suitable means for the care of tuberculosis persons and make possible the ultimate establishment of an adequate supply of hospitals with equal rights to all and special privileges to none," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Resolution No. 5.

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

That Robert Johnson be granted shoe-shining privilege of the House.

MILLER of Howard.

By request of Mr. Miller and by consent of the House, the resolution was referred to Committee on Employment.

House Bill No. 24, by Mr. Wood:

A bill for an act making it unlawful to sell, barter, or give away any spirituous, vinous, malt, or other intoxicating liquors, on any dining, buffet, or



other car in any railroad train within the State of Indiana, prescribing a penalty for its violation and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

House Bill No. 25, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act providing for temporary loans in certain cases by the board of school trustees of any school city or school town, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 26, by Mr. E. C. Davis:

A bill for an act to simplify the procedure in the Supreme and Appellate courts.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 27, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act concerning the protection and propagation of trout; providing for the licensing, establishing and regulation of private trout hatcheries, and the closure of certain waters of the state for trout breeding grounds; and authorizing the issuance of permits to obtain trout for breeding purposes.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 28, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act regulating the abolishment of townships or change in their boundary lines, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business:

House Bill No. 29, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act to amend sections twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-seven (37) and fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents, to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of employment; to provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8th, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 30, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act in regard to changes in text books adopted for use in the common schools and in the high schools of the state.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 31, by Mr. Wright of Randolph:

A bill for an act to provide for the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept or offered for public service: providing for the right to a lien on mare and foal; and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the enrollment of stallions and jacks kept or offered for public

service, and for the improvement and advancement of the horse industry in the State of Indiana; providing for the dissemination of information relative to the horse interests among the people of the state and defining the duties of the stallion enrollment board and penalties for the violation of provisions of this act," approved February 24, 1913; and providing for the disposal of certain funds.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 32, by Mr. A. J. Westrick:

A bill for an act authorizing persons in charge of registered bloodhounds to arrest and detain persons detected and apprehended, and declaring any evidence so disclosed admissible in criminal cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 33, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act to prevent the sale and butchering of calves under the age of twelve (12) months, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 34, by Mr. Bartel:

A bill for an act authorizing any city or town to purchase public utilities by issuing bonds secured solely by the property of the utility purchased and not constituting an indebtedness against such city or town.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Joint Resolution No. 1, by Mr. Bartel:

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section two (2), article two (II) of the constitution of the State of Indiana relating to qualification of electors.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 35, by Mr. Turner:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of agricultural and other seeds," and providing penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 36, by Mr. Turner:

A bill for an act to amend section three hundred sixty-five (365) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881, being section five hundred sixty-six Burns' Revised Statutes of Indiana of 1914, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, January 11, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

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THURSDAY MORNING.

January 11, 1917.

The House was called to order at 10 o'clock, with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. E. L.

Day, pastor of the North Park Christian Church of Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the house to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Eschbach, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslinger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffmann, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McCaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 96.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Cook, Duffey, Miltenberger, Westfall. Total, 4.

The speaker ordered the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Waltz, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports.

The Committee on Rules reports as follows:

## STANDING RULES AND ORDERS FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HOUSE.

### CHAPTER I.

#### TOUCHING THE DUTY OF SPEAKER.

1. The speaker shall take the chair every day precisely at the hour to which the House shall have adjourned on the preceding day; shall immediately call the members to order; and shall cause the Journal of the preceding day to be read, unless by a vote of the House the reading of the same be dispensed with.

2. The speaker shall examine and correct the Journal before it is read. He shall have general direction of the hall. He may name any member to perform the duties of the chair, but such substitution shall not extend beyond one day. He shall have the right to name any member to bear messages to the Senate, and to appoint all committees, unless otherwise specially directed by the House, in which case they shall be appointed by vote.

3. The speaker shall preserve order and decorum. He may speak to points of order in preference to other members, rising from his seat for that purpose, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House by any two members, which appeal shall be in writing and signed by the members taking such appeal, and shall clearly state the point of order decided by the chair, on which appeal no member shall speak more than once, unless by leave of the House: Provided, That no appeal from the decision of the chair shall prevail except by a majority of all members elected to the House.

4. The speaker may state a question sitting, but shall rise to put a question to the vote of the House.

5. Questions shall be substantially put in this form, namely: "As many as

are of the opinion that (as the question may be), say aye," and after the affirmative vote is expressed, "As many as are of the contrary opinion say no." If the speaker doubts, or a division be called for, the House shall divide, those in the affirmative shall first rise from their seats and remain standing until they are counted, and afterwards those in the negative in like manner. If the speaker still doubts, or a count be required, the speaker shall name two members, one from each side, to tell those in the affirmative and negative, and the results being reported, he shall rise and report the decision of the House.

6. The speaker shall vote in all elections; when the yeas and nays are taken, the speaker's name being called last; upon all questions when the House is equally divided, he shall give the casting vote, or when his vote would make an equal division he shall vote upon the call of any member; and in all cases of equal division the question shall be lost.

7. He shall sign all acts, addresses, joint resolutions, writs, warrants and subpoenas of, or issued by order of the House.

8. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the galleries or lobby, the speaker (or Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House) shall have the power to order the same to be cleared.

9. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the speaker or any member requests it.

10. When a motion is made (and seconded) it shall be stated by the speaker, or, being in writing, read aloud by the clerk, and seconded before it shall be debated; after which it shall be in possession of the House, but may be withdrawn at any time before a decision or amendment.

## CHAPTER II.

### RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF MEMBERS.

11. No member shall absent himself from the service of the House unless he have leave, or be sick and unable to attend.

12. Seven members, with the speaker, or eight members in his absence, one of whom they shall elect speaker pro tem., may then call the House to order, compel the attendance of absent members, make an order for their fine and censure, and adjourn from day to day until a quorum shall be in attendance.

13. When any member desires to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the House, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address "Mr. Speaker," but shall not proceed until recognized by the speaker, and shall confine himself to the question under consideration, and avoid personality, nor shall he impeach the motive of any member's vote or argument.

14. If any member, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the House, the speaker, or any other member, may call him to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain; and the House shall, if appealed to, decide on the case in accordance with the proviso in Rule 3, but without debate. If there be no appeal, the decision of the chair shall be submitted to. If the decision be in favor of the member called to order, he shall be at liberty to proceed; if otherwise he shall not be permitted to proceed, in case any members object, without leave of the House; and, if the case requires it, he shall be liable to the censure of the House.

15. If a member be called to order for words spoken in debate, the person calling him to order shall repeat the

words excepted to, and they shall be taken down in writing at the clerk's table; and no member shall be held to answer, or be subject to the censure of the House, for words spoken in debate, if any other member has spoken or other business has intervened after the words spoken and before exception to them shall have been taken.

16. While the speaker is putting any question or addressing the House, no member shall walk out of or across the House; nor, in such case, or when a member is speaking or delivering any matter to the House, shall pass between him and the chair. Every member shall remain uncovered during the session of the House. No member or other person shall visit or remain by the clerk's table while the yeas and nays are being called.

17. Every member who shall be in the House when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the House, for special reasons, shall excuse him. All motions to excuse a member from voting shall be made before the House divides, or before the call of the yeas and nays is commenced; and no call of the yeas and nays shall be entertained on a motion to excuse a member from voting. But any member requesting to be excused from voting may make a brief verbal statement of the reasons for making such request, and the question then be taken without further debate; and the refusal of a member to vote who is present and has not been excused from voting will be a high breach of decorum, and will subject the person so offending to a fine, censure and such other punishment as the House may order and impose.

18. No member shall vote on any question in the result of which he is immediately and particularly interested, or in any case when he was not within the bar of the House pending roll-call, unless by consent of the House; and in no case shall such absent member be

allowed to vote after the result has been announced, when his vote shall change the decision of the question. For the purpose of determining whether a quorum is present, all members within the House when the question is stated by the speaker, and the vote is on a call of the yeas and nays, shall be counted, and such of them as fail to respond to their names, when called, shall be noted by the clerk as present and not voting. The hall of the House shall be deemed and held to include the entire chamber in which this body holds its sessions, and the bar of the House, all of the space within the railing on the south side of the chamber and within the line of pillars on the west side.

19. When two or more members happen to rise at once, the speaker shall name the member who is first to speak.

20. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without the leave of the House, nor more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken. And if a question be undisposed of by adjournment of the House, when resumed on the succeeding day, no member who shall have spoken twice on the preceding day shall be permitted again to speak without leave of the House.

21. The member who introduces a bill or joint resolution shall have a right to fifteen minutes of time to close the debate upon it, when it shall have reached its third reading. The right secured by this rule shall not be impaired, even after a demand for the previous question, but shall at all times remain in full force.

22. Members having petitions and memorials to present may hand them to the speaker, indorsing the same with their names, and the reference or disposition to be made thereof, and such petitions or memorials shall be entered on the Journal and shall be referred by

the speaker to the appropriate committees. And if any petition or memorial shall be so handed in, which, in the judgment of the speaker, is not respectful and temperate, and free from offensive imputations upon the character or conduct of the Assembly or other constituted authority, it shall be returned to the member from whom it was received. Any member having any petition, memorial, remonstrance, resolution, bill or other matter of which he was the mover or introducer, shall have the right to meet with and act as a member of the committee during the time said committee may have such subject under consideration, except that he shall not have a right to vote in said committee unless he be a regular member thereof.

23. During the reading of the Journal of the House, no member, officer or employe of the House, whose station is within the bar of the House, shall leave his station or seat unless he shall have the consent of the House therefor.

### CHAPTER III. ORDER OF BUSINESS.

24. As soon as the Journal is read, and the unfinished business in which the House was engaged at the last preceding adjournment has been disposed of, the returning of bills, and the filing of reports from committees shall be called for, in doing which the speaker shall call upon each standing committee in regular order, and then upon select committees; this order of business to continue for one hour, to be called the morning hour, if the returning of bills and the filing of reports of committees under this order shall consume the hour. And if the speaker shall not get through the call upon the committees before the House passes to other business, he shall resume the next call where he left off. In returning bills with reports of committees thereon for filing, the committees

shall make a general report in which reference shall be made to all bills thus returned by number only without setting out the title.

25. Reports from committees having been presented and filed, the speaker shall call for the introduction of resolutions and bills from members by counties, arranged alphabetically, and if on any day all the counties shall not be called, the speaker shall begin the next day where he left off the previous day: Provided, That no member shall present more than two bills or resolutions under the call each day.

26. After two hours shall have been devoted to the filing of reports from committees and the introduction of resolutions and bills, it shall be in order to entertain a motion that the House, do now proceed to dispose of the business on the speaker's table, and to the order of the day, which being decided in the affirmative, the speaker shall dispose of the business on his table in the following order:

First. Executive and other communications.

Second. Messages from the Senate and amendments proposed by the Senate to bills of the House.

Third. Bills and resolutions from the Senate on their first reading, that they may be referred to committees and put under way; but on being read a second time, they are to be ordered to their third reading, unless objection be made, in which case, if not otherwise ordered by a majority of the House, they are laid on the table in the general file of bills on the speaker's table, to be taken up in their turns.

Fourth. Engrossed House bills and bills from the Senate on their third reading.

Fifth. Bills of the House on their engrossment and from the Senate on the speaker's table, on being ordered to

a third reading, to be taken up and considered in the order of time in which they passed to a second reading.

Sixth. The speaker may order bills read a second time to the exclusion of other business (except special orders) on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Seventh. The messages, communications and bills on his table having been disposed of, the speaker shall then proceed to call the order of the day.

27. The consideration of the unfinished business in which the House may be engaged at an adjournment, shall have preference in the order of the day, and no motion on any other business after the reading of the Journal shall be received without special leave of the House, until the former is disposed of.

#### CHAPTER IV.

##### HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEES.

28. The following shall be the standing committees, which shall severally consist of not less than nine nor more than thirteen members, in the discretion of speaker, except the Committees on Ways and Means, Congressional and Legislative Apportionment and on Fees and Salaries, each of which shall be composed of one member from each congressional district, and except the Committee on Correction of the Journal, which shall be composed of five members. Said committees shall be appointed by the speaker at the commencement of each session in the following order, namely:

1. On Elections.
2. On Ways and Means.
3. On Judiciary A.
4. On Judiciary B.
5. On Organization of Courts of Justice.
6. On Banks.
7. On Building and Loan and Savings Associations.
8. On Education.

9. On Affairs of the Indiana Reformatory.

10. On Affairs of the Indiana State Prison.

11. On Swamp Lands.

12. On Military Affairs.

13. On Claims.

14. On Trust Funds.

15. On Fees and Salaries.

16. On Sinking Fund.

17. On Rights and Privileges of the Inhabitants of the State.

18. On Railroads.

19. On Manufactures and Commerce.

20. On County and Township Business.

21. On Agriculture.

22. On Benevolent and Scientific Institutions.

23. On Public Morals.

24. On Mileage and Accounts.

25. On Corporations.

26. On Rivers and Waters.

27. On Public Expenditures.

28. On Federal Relations.

29. On Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

30. On Cities and Towns.

31. On Engrossed Bills.

32. On Roads.

33. On Statistics and Immigration.

34. On Insurance.

35. On Printing.

36. On Reformatory Institution.

37. On Drains and Dikes.

38. On Mines and Mining.

39. On Labor.

40. On State Medicine, Health and Vital Statistics.

41. On Correction of the Journal, of which the speaker of the House shall be chairman.

42. On Natural Resources of the State.

43. On Phraseology of Bills.

44. On Congressional Apportionment.

45. On Legislative Apportionment.

46. On Telegraph and Telephone.

- 47. On Soldiers' Monument.
- 48. On State Soldiers' Home and State Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home.
- 49. On Public Libraries.
- 50. On Criminal Code.
- 51. On Public Buildings.

29. It shall be the duty of the several standing committees to examine into and report upon all matters that properly belong to them, and all matters that may be referred to them, either by bill or otherwise.

30. Bills when ordered to engrossment shall be engrossed under the direction of the speaker and the Committee on Engrossed Bills. It shall be the imperative duty of the Committee on Engrossed Bills to carefully compare the engrossed with the original bills and joint resolutions, and ascertain whether they have, in all respects, been accurately and correctly engrossed; and if such committee ascertain any mistake, the same shall be corrected under their direction. The committee shall by number, in writing, report all engrossed bills to the House.

31. It shall be in order for the Committee on Engrossed Bills and the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to report at any time when no question is before the House; or such committees may hand their reports to the assistant clerk at any time, without notice to the House. Each such report shall be entered on the Journal of the House.

32. No committee shall sit during the session of the House without special leave.

## CHAPTER V.

### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

33. In forming a Committee of the Whole, the speaker shall leave the chair and designate some member of the House to preside as chairman.

34. Upon a bill being committed to a Committee of the Whole, the same shall be first read through by the clerk (unless otherwise ordered by a majority), and then again read for amendments by sections, leaving the preamble, if any, and the title to be last considered. After report, when the bill is reported to the House, it shall again be read, if desired by a majority, for amendment and debate before a question for engrossing it shall be taken.

35. The body of the bill shall not be defaced or interlined, and all amendments shall be disposed of by the committee, either by adoption or rejection, and all such as have been agreed to shall be duly entered by the clerk on a separate paper, and shall be incorporated with the motion to rise and report to the House, and shall be so reported to the House and the same shall be considered in the House in the order in which they were adopted in the committee.

36. The rules of proceeding in the House shall be observed in Committee of the Whole, so far as the same are applicable, except the rule limiting the time of speaking; but no member shall speak twice to any question until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

37. All questions in Committee of the Whole (not privileged questions), shall be propounded in the order in which they are moved, except that in filling up blanks the largest sum and the longest time shall be first put.

38. No motion or proposition for a tax or charge upon the people shall be discussed the day on which it is made or offered, and every bill for such purpose shall receive its first discussion in the Committee of the Whole House.

39. It shall be in order to introduce and discuss any resolution, properly relating to public affairs, when in Com-



mittee of the Whole, with a view to test the sense of the House upon the question proposed.

# CHAPTER VI. CONCERNING BILLS, JOINT RES- OLUTIONS AND HOUSE RES- OLUTIONS.

40. Every resolution of the House shall be written on not less than a full sheet of paper, and shall be signed by the member offering it.

41. All bills and resolutions shall be introduced in duplicate and marked respectively, original and duplicate.

42. Bills and joint resolutions out of the regular order may be introduced on the report of a committee; and resolutions concerning business, pertaining to the House and concurrent resolutions, in which concurrent action is asked of the Senate, when offered during the call of counties, shall lie over until completion of the call. The Committee on Ways and Means shall be allowed to report at any time.

43. The first reading of a bill shall be for information, and, if opposition be made to it, the question shall be: "Shall the bill be rejected?" If no opposition be made, or the question to reject be negatived, the bill shall then, if no motion be made to the contrary, be committed to a regular or select committee, or to the Committee of the Whole House. If the bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole House, the House shall determine on what day it shall be considered.

44. A committee to which a bill shall have been referred may report thereon with or without amendments, which report, with such amendments, if any, shall be acted upon by the House upon its submission. After action by the House upon the report of the committee, the bill shall go to the speaker's

table for its second reading, and, upon that order of business being reached, it shall be taken up in the order in which the report was filed, and read a second time; the speaker shall then state that the bill is ready for amendment, recommitment or engrossment.

45. General appropriation bills shall be in order in preference to any other bills, unless otherwise ordered by a majority of the House. The House, at any time, by a majority vote, may make any appropriation bill a special order.

46. A motion to strike out the enacting clause of a bill shall have precedence of a motion to amend, and, if carried, shall be equivalent to its rejection. Whenever a bill is reported from the Committee of the Whole with a recommendation to strike out the enacting clause, and such recommendation is disagreed to by the House, the bill shall stand recommitted to the said committee without further action of the House.

47. If any bill or other proposition be referred to a committee and any member of such committee make a minority report, such report shall be regarded as an amendment to the report of the committee.

48. All bills and joint resolutions ordered to be engrossed shall be executed in a fair, round hand, or typewritten.

49. After commitment and report to the House, a bill may be recommitted to the same or any other committee, either with or without instruction. But after a bill or joint resolution has been engrossed and ordered to a third reading, it shall not be amended except by unanimous consent, but may be recommitted, with special instructions, by a two-thirds vote; and, in case any bill or joint resolution is amended after engrossment, the question shall again be put on the engrossment of the bill or joint resolution.

50. When a bill or joint resolution shall be put on its passage, and shall receive a majority of the votes cast, but not the number of votes required by the Constitution, the same shall not be considered lost; but, when the third reading of the bills and joint resolutions is in order any member who voted with the majority, or who did not vote at all, may call the same up, and the House shall take another vote thereon, and any number of votes may be taken in such cases by the House, but there shall be no debate thereon.

51. No bill or joint resolution shall, at any time, be amended by annexing thereto, or incorporating therewith, any other bill or resolution pending before the House.

52. When the yeas and nays are taken upon any question, the names of the members shall be called alphabetically; the name of the speaker being called last. After the call of the roll has been ordered, no motion shall be made in reference thereto, or debate had thereon. Nor shall any motion to adjourn, postpone or otherwise change the question on which the yeas and nays are being taken, be in order until the call thereof is completed, and the result announced by the speaker.

53. When any vote is taken by the yeas and nays the question shall be stated substantially in the following manner, namely: "As many as are of the opinion that, etc., will, when their names are called, answer 'aye,' and as many as are of a different opinion, will, when their names are called, answer 'no.'" And when the vote is taken upon the passage of any bill or joint resolution, and when the same may be demanded by two members of the House, the clerk shall, after the roll has been gone through, first read over the names of those who have answered in the affirmative, and then the names of those

who have answered in the negative, in order that, if he has made any mistakes in noting the answer, or if any member has made a mistake in his answer, the mistake of either may be corrected.

54. Upon the call of the House, the names of the members shall be called by the clerk and absentees noted; after which the names of the absentees shall again be called; the doors shall then be shut, and those from whom no excuse, or insufficient excuses, are made, may, by order of those present, be taken into custody as they appear, or may be sent for and taken into custody wherever found by the doorkeeper, or other officer or messenger appointed for that purpose.

55. When a member shall be discharged from custody and admitted to his seat, the House shall determine whether such discharge shall be with or without paying fines, and in like manner whether a delinquent member, taken into custody by a special messenger, shall or shall not be liable to defray the expenses of such special messenger.

## CHAPTER VIII.

### ON THE DIGNITY AND PRIVILEGE OF QUESTIONS.

56. No motion or proposition on a subject not germane to that under consideration shall be admitted under color of an amendment.

57. A motion to adjourn, and a motion to lay on the table, shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate. A motion to fix a time to which the House shall adjourn is always in order, and is undebatable, if made while another question is pending; but, if made when no other question is pending, it is debatable.

A motion to adjourn shall not be put while the question is pending on second-

ing the demand for the previous question.

When less than a quorum is present no motion shall be entertained, except to adjourn, or for a call of the House.

A motion for adjournment, or for the order of the day, can not be made by one member while another is speaking.

A motion which has been decided out of order can not be renewed.

Motions to postpone to a day certain, to commit or amend, may be amended, and shall have precedence in the order named.

58. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone to a day certain, to postpone indefinitely, to commit or amend, which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged; and no motion to postpone to a day certain, or to commit, being decided, shall again be allowed on the same day, at the same stage of the bill or other proposition. A motion to strike out the enacting words of a bill or joint resolution shall have precedence of a motion to amend, and, if carried, shall be equivalent to its rejection.

59. When a motion is made to refer any subject, and different committees are named, the question shall be taken in the following order:

1. To the Committees of the Whole.
2. Standing Committee.
3. A select Committee.

And if the motion of reference is to different standing committees, the question shall be taken in the order in which the committees are named.

60. Any member may call for the division of a question before or after the main question is ordered, which shall be divided, if it comprehended propositions in substance so distinct that, one being taken away, a substantive proposition shall remain for

the decision of the House. A motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible, but a motion to strike out being lost shall preclude neither amendment nor a motion to strike out and insert.

61. The previous question shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" It shall only be admitted when demanded by a majority of the members present, and carried by a majority of members voting and its effect shall be to put an end to all debate and bring the House to a direct vote upon a motion to commit, if such motion shall have been made, and if this motion does not prevail, then upon amendments reported by a committee, if any, then upon pending amendments, and then upon the main question. But its only effect, if a motion to postpone is pending, shall be to bring the House to a vote upon such motion. On the previous question there shall be no debate. All incidental questions of order arising after a motion is made for the previous question, and pending such motion, shall be decided, whether on appeal or otherwise, without delay. And after a demand for the previous question has been seconded by the House, no motion shall be entertained to excuse a member from voting. The ordering of the previous question shall not prevent a member from explaining his vote, but no member, under this rule, shall be permitted more than one minute for that purpose.

62. When a motion has once been made and carried in the affirmative or negative it shall be in order for any member having voted with the majority to move for the reconsideration thereof, on the same or the succeeding day, and such motion shall take precedence of all other questions, except a motion to adjourn, and shall not be withdrawn after the said succeeding day without the consent of the House, and thereafter

any member may call it up for consideration.

63. Any member may change his vote before the result is announced; and afterwards, by leave of the House, provided such change will not affect the result.

64. When a paper is first presented to the House it shall be a matter of right in any member to have it read before the House shall vote upon it. If the paper has been once read, or the reading dispensed with, and the reading be again required and objected to, it shall be determined by a vote of the House.

65. A motion to lay proposed amendments on the table, if it prevails, shall not affect the general subject to which said amendments are offered.

66. Every bill reported favorably by a committee, and such other bills as the House may direct, shall be printed, unless the committee reporting such bill shall recommend that such bill shall not be printed. All bills shall be printed in bill form, the pages and lines to be numbered. Unless otherwise ordered by the committee or by the House all amendments to a bill shall be printed separately and the whole bill shall not be reprinted. Whenever amendments made in committee, or on the floor are so numerous, or complicated, as to be confusing, the committee, or the house, may order the whole bill to be reprinted as amended. Whenever a bill is printed with amendments, such printed bill shall show the parts stricken out of said bill, if any in canceled type and additions made thereto in italic type. All printed bills shall be placed on the desk of each member not later than on the day preceding the day that the bill shall be taken up for the second reading: Provided, That this rule shall not apply to bills reported during the last week of the session or to the general and specific appropriation bills.

67. No motion to suspend the constitutional rule requiring a bill to be read on three separate days shall be entertained unless seconded by a majority of the House.

68. When a question is postponed indefinitely, or when a motion to reconsider has been laid upon the table, the same shall not be acted on again during the session.

## CHAPTER IX.

### DUTIES OF OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE.

69. The principal and assistant clerks and their assistants, and the doorkeeper and his assistants, shall, before entering upon the discharge of their duties, take an oath to support the Constitution of the United States and of the State of Indiana, and to faithfully, impartially and honestly discharge the duties of their offices.

70. The assistant clerk shall keep a journal of the decisions of the chair, to be inserted at the close of the Journal of the House.

71. Inasmuch as the number a bill takes when introduced by a member is only for convenience in filing the same, and a convenient reference in the matter of order, and is no part of the bill or act itself, it shall be the duty of the assistant clerk of the House to see that the title of every bill introduced appears on the Journal of the House, at every action thereon, except that bills, resolutions, etc., filed with reports of committees at the "morning hour," as provided by Rule 24, shall be referred to by number only. All joint resolutions amending the Constitution of the State shall appear of record in full, at each action thereon, and all motion, resolutions, reports, petitions and amendments to bills or other matters shall appear of record in a manner approved by the committee to examine the Journal.

72. It shall be the duty of the doorkeeper to attend to the House during its sessions, announce all messages, keep the hall and committee rooms in perfect order, to prevent smoking in the halls and lobbies at all times, to maintain order in the lobbies and galleries, to execute all process issued by the authority of the House, and direct to him by the speaker, and in all things to execute the commands of the speaker and of the House.

## CHAPTER X.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

73. The sessions of the House shall commence at 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m. of each legislative day: Provided, however, That for the first fourteen days, unless otherwise ordered, there shall be but one session each day, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

74. All claims against the State shall first be presented in the House and referred to the Committee on Claims before being referred to any other committee.

75. When messages, including bills in all their phases, and joint or concurrent resolutions are received from the Senate by the House, they shall be announced at the door by the doorkeeper, and shall be respectfully communicated in writing to the chair by the person by whom sent.

76. Any standing rule or order of the House, or order of business, may be rescinded, changed or suspended without previous notice, upon a constitutional majority vote of the House, and a motion for such purpose shall be in order at any time and shall have precedence over all other business.

77. No person except members of the General Assembly and its officers and members of the Executive and

Judicial Department of State shall be admitted upon the floor of the House without the consent of the speaker. And no person shall enter upon the speaker's stand or stand upon the steps leading thereto without special invitation from the speaker.

78. Upon all questions not provided for by these rules it is ordered that the rules of Jefferson's Manual and the construction thereon placed by the National House of Representatives shall be regarded as a parliamentary guide of this house, and as to any matters not provided for in these rules the rules and precedents of the National House of Representatives shall be followed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the report was adopted.

The speaker ordered the roll of the standing committees for reports.

#### Committee report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 6, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 6 was ordered printed.

#### Committee report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 10, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and the bill ordered printed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges to which was referred House Bill No. 4, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and the bill ordered printed.

Mr. Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 37, by Mr. Walker:

A bill for an act to amend sections three hundred forty-five (345), three hundred forty-seven (347), three hundred forty-eight (348) and three hundred forty-nine (349) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and repealing certain sections of said act.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 38, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of "An act prescribing the method and procedure for the voluntary dissolution of private corporations and voluntary associations and declaring an emergency," approved March 14, 1913, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 39, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act empowering any city of the fifth class to create a board of trustees for the control and manage-

ment of the public parks of such city, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 40, by Mr. Hartke:

A bill for an act legalizing certain county and highway bonds, and all proceedings under which the same were issued and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

House Bill No. 41, by Mr. Hartke:

A bill for an act concerning the improvement and maintenance of public highways, and assenting to the Act of Congress, approved July 11, 1916, (39 Stat. L. 355), and authorizing the State Highway Department to co-operate with the United States Government in the construction and maintenance of rural post roads.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 42, by Mr. Coggins:

A bill for an act legalizing certain township warrants defectively issued but issued for a valuable and meritorious consideration, and all proceedings under which the same were issued, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 43, by Mr. Myers:

A bill for an act to create a state police department and to provide for its powers and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 44, by Mr. Myers:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning voluntary associations for the purpose of insuring farm property," approved March 15, 1881.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 45, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act to exempt from taxation household goods to the value of two hundred dollars (\$200).

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 46, by Mr. Miller of Howard.

A bill for an act authorizing township trustees, boards of school trustees and boards of school commissioners to furnish common school text books free of charge to the pupils of their respective schools, and providing for the care and disposition of such books.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 47, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act to authorize cities and towns, having a paid fire force or department and a firemen's pension fund, to tax the business of foreign insurance companies for the maintenance, use and benefit of such pension fund and to pass ordinances prescribing rules and regulations for the assessment and collection of such tax, and penalties for the non-payment thereof, and for non-compliance with such rules and regulations.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 48, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act providing for homes for old people.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 49, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 50, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 51, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act providing for a recording tax for mortgages.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 52, by Mr. Johnson of Pulaski (by request):

A bill for an act to regulate the practice and business of horseshoeing; providing for the issuance of licenses; providing for the appointment of examiners, and defining their duties; defining certain misdemeanors, and providing penalties therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 53, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to prohibit any person from going upon the enclosed or unenclosed land of another person, with intent then and there to peep into the residence, lodging room, lodging house, or rooming house of another person, which said residence, lodging room, lodging house, or rooming house is then and there occupied.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 54, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act to prevent the hunting, trapping, netting, or in any way of killing of quail for a period of three (3) years, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 55, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act to make the coroner, ex-officio, the county health officer and enlarging his duties to contain all the duties now required of the county health officer and the secretary of the county board of health, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

Mr. McGonagle, by unanimous consent offered the following bill.

House Bill No. 56, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act to appropriate one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) to defray the expenses of the seventieth (70th) General Assembly of the State of Indiana, providing how the expenses

and employees thereof shall be incurred and paid, how the officers, employees and assistants thereof shall be selected, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days, be dispensed with and that this bill be read a second time by title, a third time by sections and put upon its passage.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 94.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The constitutional rules were suspended.



The bill was read a second time, considered engrossed and read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Howard, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 97.

Those voting in the negative:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

There being no objections it was so ordered.

The clerk was ordered to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The following petitions were offered:

Petition No. 2, by Mr. Curry; referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Petition No. 3, by Mr. Walker; referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Petition No. 4, by Mr. Hoffman; referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Petition No. 5, by Mr. Symons; referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Petition No. 6, by Mr. Eikenberry; referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Petition No. 7, by Mr. Miller; referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned until 10 o'clock Friday morning.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY MORNING.

Indianapolis, Indiana, January 12, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. W. O. Trueblood of the First Friends Church, Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green,

Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Heppler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johanson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 98.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Robertson and Ryan.

On motion of Mr. Miles, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

On motion of Mr. Miller, Mr. Griffin was excused from attendance for the day on account of a death in his family.

The speaker called for reports of the Committees:

Committee report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code to which was referred House Bill No. 53, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 53 was ordered printed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 32,

has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and the bill ordered not printed.

The following petitions were offered:

Petition No. 8, by Mr. Eikenberry; referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Petition No. 9, by Mr. Anderson; referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Committee report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 26, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and the bill ordered not printed.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 57, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act concerning the Lincoln Way.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 58, by Mr. Blackmore:

A bill for an act concerning the inspection of petroleum oil.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 59, Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to revise the constitution of the state and providing for the assembling of the convention and preparations incidental to the conduct of the convention and making appropriation therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 60, by Mr. Myers:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax on gifts, inheritances, bequests, legacies, devises and successions in certain cases," approved February 28, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 61, by Mr. Krieg:

A bill for an act entitled an act to amend section five hundred sixty seven (567) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 62, by Mr. Davis of Jay:

A bill for an act to repeal section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning rebates in life insurance, prescribing the duties of the auditor of state in connection therewith and providing penalties for the violation of this act and declaring an emergency." approved March 1, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 63, by Mr. Westfall:

A bill for an act to promote the detection of poultry thieves by regulating dealing in poultry.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 64, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act providing for the removal from office of certain officers for misconduct or maladministration while in office.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform you that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 56, and the same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

House Bill No. 65, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act making it the duty of the board of trustees and the superintendent of the Indiana state farm to establish a system of awards for merit, and granting such board and superintendent power to decrease the original sentence of certain prisoners.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Benevolent and Scientific Institutions.

House Bill No. 66, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act in regard to the issue of marriage licenses.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 67, by Mr. Alldredge.

A bill for an act granting women the right to vote for presidential electors and certain other officers, and to vote in certain elections.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 68, by Mr. Duffey:

A bill for an act creating a state highway commission, providing for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways, and providing for co-operation with the federal government in the construction of rural post roads.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 69, by Mr. Jameson:

A bill for an act concerning dwellings or places of residence unfit for human habitation or dangerous or detrimental to life and health and providing penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 70, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act concerning municipal markets.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 71, by Mr. Dynes:

An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of bailiffs in counties in which criminal or superior courts are organized and declaring an emergency" approved February 24th, 1899, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 72, by Mr. Scott:

A bill for an act to prohibit the parking of motor cars and other vehicles around the monument circle in the city of Indianapolis.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Soldiers' Monument.

House Bill No. 73, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the construction of free gravel, stone or macadamized roads; providing for new estimates of the same, and receiving bids for the construction of the same and declaring an emergency,' approved March 7, 1905, and declaring an emergency," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 74, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to legalize certain drainage bonds and all proceedings under which the same were issued, saving pending litigation and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 75, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act concerning free text books in the common schools of this state.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 76, by Mr. Hessong:

A bill for an act authorizing certain incorporated towns to contract with township trustees relative to the joint use of the schools of such towns by the inhabitants of such town and those of the township wherein such town is lo-

cated, and relative to the joint operation of such schools and the division of the expense thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

House Bill No. 77, by Mr. Wright of Randolph:

A bill for an act concerning the employment of stationary engineers and firemen, and limiting their hours of labor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 78, by Mr. Wright of Randolph:

A bill for an act prohibiting the manufacture, sale, gift, advertisement or transportation of intoxicating liquor except for certain purposes and under certain conditions.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

House Bill No. 79, by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act to fix the salary of the quartermaster general.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 80, by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) and section five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana and conferring the powers of railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 81, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act to empower the boards of county commissioners to fix and regulate the salaries of all county and township officers in their respective counties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 82, by Mr. Bartel (by request):

A bill for an act entitled an act for the relief of Dr. T. Henry Davis and other members and ex-members of the State Board of Health and to definitely fix the compensation of the members of the State Board of Health and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The speaker announced that House Bill No. 43 is transferred from the Committee on Judiciary B to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the assistant clerk be instructed to issue vouchers in the sum of \$250.00, payable to Don P. Strode, principal clerk of the House, to be used for the purchase of stamps for the use of members and officers of the House in answering correspondence relative to the business of the House, and that said principal clerk shall return and file receipts from the postmaster of the city of Indianapolis for stamps so purchased. And the principal clerk shall from time to time issue to the postmaster of the House, such quantities of stamps as may be necessary.

McGONAGLE.

Which resolution was adopted by the House.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock p. m., Monday, January 15, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON.

January 15, 1917.

The House met at 2 o'clock, with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. S. Wilbur Huffer of the First Presbyterian Church of Portland, Indiana.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg,

Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 97.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Gorski, Ryan and Tucker. Total, 3.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Friday to be read.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

Mr. Osborn was excused from attendance on account of a death in his family.

The speaker referred the report of the State Board of Accounts of the expenses of Indiana University, Indiana State Normal and Purdue University to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

The Committee on Public Morals made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred House Bill No. 24, has had same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MYERS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 24 was ordered printed.

The Committee on Rights and Privileges made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges to which was referred House Bill No. 16, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the

same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

No. 1. Immediately after the word "Fees" and before the word "for" in line 18, section seven (7), insert the following:

"For each sail or row boat propelled by means of a sail or oars, Ten Dollars (\$10.00) per year;"

No. 2. Strike out the word "justice" in line four (4) section eleven (11) and in its stead insert the word "court," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 83, by Mr. Walker:

A bill for an act concerning instruction in the science of military arms in the graded schools of the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 84, by Mr. Moore:

A bill for an act providing for the exemption from sale for delinquent taxes of household goods of any person to the value of one hundred dollars (\$100).

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 85, by Mr. Behmer:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one hundred eighty-two (182) of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved March 6, 1905, and declaring an emergency," approved February 21, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 86, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act to provide for the licensing of architects and regulating the practice of architecture.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 87, by Mr. Anderson:

A bill for an act to amend section twenty (20) of an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration, numbering and regulation of same, defining chauffeurs and providing for the examination and licensing thereof, and providing for the punishment for the violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 88, by Mr. Harmon:

A bill for an act to protect the people of the state of Indiana from leprosy, and making an appropriation.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

House Bill No. 89, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act concerning the regulation and adjustment of lights on motor vehicles.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 90, by Mr. Wood:

A bill for an act fixing the time that the term of office of the clerk of the circuit court shall begin.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 91, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act concerning the vesting of the title to real property belonging to Congregational churches which are or shall become extinct, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 92, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning criminal courts," approved April 12, 1881, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 93, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act to amend sections three hundred forty-five (345), three hundred forty-seven (347), three hundred forty-eight (348), and three hundred forty-nine (349) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses" approved March 10, 1905, and repealing certain sections of said act.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 94, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty-four (34) of an act for the relief of the poor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, approved March 9, 1901," approved March 9, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 95, by Mr. Sipe (by request):

A bill for an act to authorize the assignment of a mechanic's lien after it has been recorded, and fixing the fee for recording the assignment.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 96, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act defining the crime of vehicle stealing and providing a penalty therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 97, by Mr. Woods:

An act to amend sections five (5) and six (6) of an act entitled "An act defining petty money lenders and licensing and regulating the business of making small loans, providing penalties for the violation thereof, repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 10, 1913, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 98, by Mr. Henke:

A bill for an act providing for verdicts in all civil actions by five-sixths ( $\frac{5}{6}$ ) of the jury.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 99, by Mr. Durham:

A bill for an act concerning any individual, partnership or unincorporated persons transacting a banking business, as public depositories.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 100, by Mr. Durham:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act to amend section three (3)



of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), and twenty-three (23), and to repeal section six (6) and one half and to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of a railroad commission, the appointment and compensation of the members thereof, prescribing the powers and duties of such commission and its members, prescribing certain duties and obligations of railroad companies, express companies and other common carriers, defining certain misdemeanors and prescribing penalties, providing for the collection of penalties by civil action from railroad companies and other common carriers by the State in cases therein provided for, appropriating money to carry out its provisions, providing for a review of the decisions of the commissions and conferring jurisdiction on certain courts to hear and determine such proceedings, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, approved March 9th, 1907, and declaring an emergency, approved March 13, 1913.'"

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 101, by Mr. Miller of Tippecanoe:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning admission to the Indiana State Soldiers' Home," approved March 2, 1911,' approved February 28, 1913," approved March 10, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Soldiers' Home.

House Bill No. 102, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act regulating the registration of voters for all elections.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 103, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act to erect and install on the capitol dome of the state house in the city of Indianapolis a clock, and making an appropriation for same.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 104, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act providing for a department of public parks in cities of the third, fourth and fifth classes, defining its powers and duties, and conferring certain powers upon the common council, mayor and other officers of such cities in relation to such department of public parks.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 105, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act to abolish the department of statistics, otherwise known as the bureau of statistics, and the office of chief of the Indiana bureau of statistics, and to transfer their powers and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

The speaker announced that he had signed House Bill No. 56.

The second reading of bills:

House Bill No. 4 was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 6 was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 10 was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY MORNING.

January 16, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. R. Lawson, Pastor of the Trinity Congregational Church, Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eickenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Karker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe,

Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesberg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 100.

The speaker ordered the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Harker, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed engrossed Senate Bill No. 6, and the same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of Senate.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

The Committee on Fees and Salaries made the following reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 71, has had the same consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 71 was declared indefinitely postponed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 79, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

JINNETT,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 79 was ordered printed.

The Committee on Judiciary B, made the following reports:

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 36, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 36 was ordered printed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 66, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 66 was declared indefinitely postponed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 60, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 60 was declared indefinitely postponed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 81, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 81 was ordered indefinitely postponed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 20, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 20 was declared indefinitely postponed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code to which was referred House Bill No. 63, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 63 was declared indefinitely postponed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 61, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 61 was ordered printed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 62, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 62 was declared indefinitely postponed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns to which was referred House Bill No. 39, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 39 was ordered printed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 28, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 28 was ordered printed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 55, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the

House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in and House Bill No. 55 was declared indefinitely postponed.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 106, by Mr. Mendenhall:

A bill for an act creating a department of conservation, defining its powers and duties, and abolishing certain offices, boards and departments.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 107, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act to provide for the annual preparation and publication of an Indiana Year Book to include a summary of reports of state offices, boards, commissions, departments, bureaus and institutions together with statistics and data of the state's social, economic, political and governmental conditions; to be published in lieu of the publication of the reports of state's offices, boards, commissions, departments, bureaus and institutions.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Printing.

House Bill No. 108, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act concerning the drainage of swamp land belonging to the State of Indiana, providing for the payment thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 109, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act to compel electric railway companies to stop their passenger cars at certain stations, and providing a penalty.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 110, by Mr. Hoffman:

A bill for an act for the relief of Joseph Raible:

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 111, by Mr. Read:

A bill for an act to amend sections twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), and fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents; to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees: To abolish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of employment: To provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation: To create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board: To abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 112, by Mr. Read.

A bill for an act relating to the practice of medicine or the healing art, osteopathy and midwifery; providing for a board of medical registration and examination; prescribing or administering drugs, poisons or medicines when

intoxicated; secret medicines; attempts to procure miscarriage; ophthalmia neonatorum; physicians' organizations; and providing penalties and repealing certain laws.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 113, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act to adopt the metric system as the legal standard of weights and measures.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 114, by Mr. Williams:

A bill for an act to fix the salary and mileage of members of the General Assembly.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 115, by Mr. McNaghy:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5) and six (6) of an act entitled "An act to protect and conserve the health and lives of school children and promote their efficiency and subsequent necessary treatment," approved March 6, 1911; providing additional sections, providing for the levying of a special tax, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith except an act entitled "An act concerning health in schools in cities of more than one hundred thousand population," approved March 6, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 116, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act entitled

'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, an act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an act entitled an act concerning highways; approved March 8, 1905; approved March 3, 1907; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend sections seventy (70) and seventy-five (75) of an act entitled, an act concerning highways; approved February 25, 1907; and section seventy-two (72) of an act entitled, an act concerning highways; approved March 6, 1905; approved March 8, 1909; and to amend section seventy-six (76) of an act entitled an act concerning highways; approved March 8, 1905;' and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 117, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the better protection of travelers on the highway crossings of railroads and street railroads, interurban street railroads or suburban street railroads in this state, by separation of the grades thereof, and improvements of such crossings, and granting powers to the railroads commission of Indiana with reference thereto,' approved March 11, 1913," approved March 6, 1915."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 118, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections five hundred ninety-five (595), five hundred ninety-six (596), five hundred ninety-eight (598), five hundred ninety-nine (599),

six hundred two (602), six hundred seven (607), six hundred nine (609), and six hundred eleven (611), and repealing section six hundred (600) of an act entitled an act concerning public offenses, approved March 10, 1905, of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith,' approved March 9, 1907, and providing for the distribution and use of the funds accruing," approved March 6, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 119, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred thirteen (613) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 120, by Mr. Kossler:

A bill for an act to provide a method of voting at general, special and primary elections by qualified electors who by reason of illness, the nature of their business or other cause are unavoidably absent from the polls or the county of their residence on election day.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 121, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of any county having a population of not less than 90,000 inhabitants and not more than 175,000 inhabitants, as shown by the last preceding United States census, to condemn and appropriate land, sand, gravel, stone and timber for purposes of highways; to purchase own and operate dredges, tools and machinery; to sell

road material to townships, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

Message from the Governor:

Mr. Speaker and members of the House of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I beg leave to advise, that I have approved House enrolled Act No. 56 and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

House Bill No. 122, by Mr. Vasey:

A bill for an act to provide for the publication of all legal notices in daily or weekly newspapers, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The following petitions were offered:

Two by Mr. Read which were referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

One by Mr. Curry which was referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

One by Mr. Johnson which was referred to the Committee on Soldiers' Home.

One by Mr. Miller, which was referred to the Committee on Soldiers' Home.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Mileage and Accounts after a careful investigation of the mileage traveled by the members of the House of Representatives of the

Seventieth General Assembly beg to submit the following report and move its adoption.

WALTZ, Chairman.  
OSBORN,  
BEHMER,  
ALLDREDGE,  
GEDDES,  
GENTRY,  
MOORE,  
WESTFALL  
READ.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Attached please find report of your Committee on Mileage and Accounts for the Seventieth General Assembly.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Amount.</i>
Adams.....	56	\$11.20
Alldredge.....	72	14.40
Anderson.....	300	60.00
Axby.....	200	40.00
Baker.....	170	34.00
Bartel.....	136	27.20
Bayer.....	422	84.40
Behmer.....	156	31.20
Blackmore.....	94	18.80
Bonham.....	150	30.00
Buller.....	122	24.40
Burt.....	220	44.00
Clapp.....	268	53.60
Coggins.....	160	32.00
Cook.....	144	28.80
Cooper.....	40	8.00
Cravens.....	174	34.80
Cronin.....	144	28.80
Curry.....	214	42.80
Davis of Jay.....	190	38.00
Davis of Lake.....	310	62.00
Day.....	330	66.00
Dilworth.....	294	58.80
Douglas.....	86	17.20
Downey.....	364	72.80
Duffey.....	...	...
Durham.....	80	16.00
Dynes.....	...	...
Eikenberry.....	110	22.00
Eisterhold.....	364	72.80
Eschbach.....	240	48.00

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Amount.</i>	<i>Name.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Amount.</i>
Geddes.....	...	...	Ryan.....	316	\$63.20
Gentry.....	110	\$22.00	Sambor.....	310	62.00
Gorski.....	292	58.40	Scott.....	...	.....
Green.....	174	34.80	Sipe.....	...	.....
Griffin.....	110	22.00	Southard.....	322	64.40
Grube.....	350	70.00	Swain.....	56	11.20
Habermel.....	280	56.00	Symons.....	86	17.20
Harker.....	116	23.20	Tucker.....	84	16.80
Harmon.....	310	62.00	Turner.....	230	46.00
Harris.....	346	69.20	Vesey.....	240	48.00
Hartke.....	300	60.00	Walker.....	244	48.80
Haslanger.....	292	58.40	Waltz.....	364	72.80
Henke.....	260	52.00	Westfall.....	248	49.60
Hepler.....	298	59.60	Westrick.....	140	28.00
Hesson.....	70	14.00	Williams.....	400	80.00
Hoffman.....	350	70.00	Winesburg.....	200	40.00
Hougham.....	40	8.00	Woods.....	...	.....
Houghton.....	240	48.00	Wood.....	252	50.40
Hyland.....	...	.....	Wright of Clay.....	114	22.80
Jacoby.....	240	48.00	Wright of Randolph..	142	28.40
Jameson.....	...	.....	Yoder.....	280	56.00
Jinnett.....	74	14.80			
Johnson of Grant....	134	26.80	Which report was adopted by the House.		
Johnson of Pulaski...	278	55.60	On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.		
Kessler.....	144	28.80	JESSE E. ESCHBACH,		
Kimmel.....	130	26.00	Speaker House of Representatives.		
Krieg.....	220	44.00	J. MONROE FITCH,		
Kuhlman.....	...	.....	Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.		
Lafuze.....	146	29.20	<hr/>		
McClaskey.....	406	81.20	WEDNESDAY MORNING.		
McGonagle.....	110	22.00	January 17, 1917.		
McNagney.....	288	57.60	The House met at 10 o'clock with the speaker in the chair.		
Mason.....	140	28.00	Prayer was offered by the Rev. B. L. Allen, of the North Side Christian Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.		
Mendenhall.....	24	4.80	The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.		
Miles.....	104	20.80	Those answering to their names when called were:		
Miller of Howard....	114	22.80			
Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren.....	150	30.00			
Miltenberger.....	110	22.00			
Montgomery.....	...	.....			
Moore.....	268	53.60			
Mosier.....	160	32.00			
Mushett.....	176	35.20			
Myers.....	40	8.00			
O'Leary.....	144	28.80			
Osborn.....	404	80.80			
Overmyer.....	294	58.80			
Read.....	80	16.00			
Robertson.....	140	28.00			



Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 97.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Habermel, Osborn and Waltz. Total, 3.

Mr. Osborn was excused from attendance for the day on account of sickness.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Symons the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

Reports were submitted as follows:

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 59, has had the same under consideration

and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

McGONAGLE,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 59 was ordered printed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 103, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McGONAGLE,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 94, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 74, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 42, has had the same under consideration

and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Message from the Senate.

Mr. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills numbers five (5), seven (7), eight (8), and twelve (12), and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 111, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be sent to your Committee on Judiciary A.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 111 was transferred from the Committee on Judiciary A to the Committee on Judiciary B.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 92, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House

Bill No. 15, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 31, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 27, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of section one (1) after the enacting clause; also, by striking out all of sections two (2), three (3), four (4), six (6), and eleven (11); also, by renumbering the sections so that section five (5) will be numbered section one (1), section seven (7) will be numbered section two (2), section eight (8) will be renumbered section three (3), section nine (9) will be renumbered section four (4), section ten (10) will be renumbered section five (5) and section twelve (12) will be renumbered section six (6), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report:

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 7,

has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 3, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL,  
Chairman.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, House Bill No. 3 was recommitted to the Committee on Roads.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 73, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MENDENHALL,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Soldiers' Monument, to which was referred House Bill No. 72, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of lines five (5) and six (6) of section one (1) the words "for a longer period than thirty (30) minutes at any one time."

By striking out of lines two (2) and three (3) of section two (2) the words "not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25)

nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100)" and by adding in lieu thereof the words "one dollar (\$1) for the first offense and five dollars (\$5) for each additional offense," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

SCOTT,  
Chairman.

Mr. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Soldiers' Monument, to which was referred House Bill No. 72, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WM. M. SWAIN,  
F. H. GENTRY.

The question being, upon the substitution of the minority report for the majority report.

On demand of Mr. Cravens, seconded by Mr. Scott, the yea and nay vote upon the question was ordered.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer,

Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 97.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Habermehl, Osborn, Waltz. Total, 3.

The minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The majority report was adopted.

The bill was indefinitely postponed.

The speaker ordered the roll to be called by counties for the introduction of bills and resolutions.

House Bill No. 123, by Mr. Moore:

A bill for an act concerning the hours of labor for women and requiring employers in certain establishments to provide suitable seats for female employes.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 124, by Mr. Clapp:

A bill for an act concerning powers of Boards of Public Works in cities of the second class having a population of not less than sixty thousand nor more than sixty-eight thousand according to the last preceding United States census and conferring upon such Boards power to condemn and appropriate real and personal property and buildings on such real estate for public highway and other public purposes, including railroad lands and rights of way, whether used or occupied for public purposes or otherwise, providing the procedure therefor and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 125, by Mr. Houghton:

A bill for an act permitting incorporated towns to assume indebtedness of its school town, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 126, by Mr. Turner:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and control of rates of premiums for fire insurance and to prevent discriminations therein, and prescribing penalties, and declaring an emergency."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 127, by Mr. Harmon:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two hundred four (204) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses' approved March 10, 1905," approved February 22, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 128, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act to amend sections eleven (11), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), twenty (20), and twenty-one (21) of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry," approved March 8, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 129, by Mr. Westfall:

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning township business," approved February 27, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

House Bill No. 130, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration, numbering and regulation of same, defining chauffeurs and providing for the examination and licensing thereof, and providing for punishment for the violation of any of the provisions of this act," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 131, by Mr. Dynes.

A bill for an act to regulate the taking of fish in the waters of this State.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 132, by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning highways," approved March 8, 1905, by adding thereto a further section to be numbered section eighty-two-a (82-a).

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 133, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred twenty-five (225) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 134, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to amend section thirty-five (35) of an act entitled "An act providing for the settlement and

distribution of decedents estates," approved April 14, 1881, and to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections five (5), 23, 47, 66, 86, 93, 95, 96, 97, 98, 100, 101, 102, 104, 115, 126, 151, 153, 157, 158, 160, 164, 165, 168, 169, 176, 180, 183, 199, 207, 208, 215 and 241, of an act entitled 'An act providing for the settlement of decedents' estates,' approved April 14, 1881, and to repeal sections 4, 103, 106, 162 and 200, of said act, and declaring an emergency," approved March 7, 1883.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 135, by Mr. Mushett:

A bill for an act concerning payment of wages to employees.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 136, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act providing for the retirement and pensioning of guards of all state penal and reformatory institutions.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 137, by Mr. Durham (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An act entitled an act concerning the delivery of express matter by express companies within the State of Indiana, and providing a penalty," approved March 6th, 1901. And being section 3912, of Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes of 1914.

Which was read a first time and by unanimous consent of the House was referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5, by Senator Jackson:

A bill for an act concerning the construction and maintenance of highways connecting county seats with the nearest railroad station in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

The speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 6, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof" approved March 8, 1915, and providing for an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

The speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 7, by Mr. Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning the Lake Superior Court, and declaring an emergency," approved February 22, 1911, and providing for a clerk of said county, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

The speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 8, by Senator Lanz:

A bill for an act providing for the erection and maintenance of guide-posts on public highways.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

The speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12, by Senators Thornton, Lanz and Hirsch.

A bill for an act authorizing the purchase of the old state capitol building and the public square in the town of Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana, by the State of Indiana from Harrison County, Indiana, appropriating funds for such purposes, providing the terms and conditions upon which said old state capitol building and public square may be purchased and providing for such conditions of said purchase as shall be inserted in the deed from the board of commissioners of Harrison County, Indiana, to the State of Indiana, conveying said property to the State of Indiana, and creating a commission to buy said building and a commission to have charge of the same, providing that said building shall be maintained as a memorial to the pioneers who established the commonwealth of Indiana, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Resolution No. 7.

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, that the Hon. W. J. Bryan be invited to address this Assembly at three o'clock on Friday, the 19th inst.

SCOTT.

Mr. Miller of Howard moved that the resolution be laid on the table.

The motion was seconded.

The question being upon the adoption of the motion.

The motion prevailed and the resolution of Mr. Scott was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## THURSDAY MORNING.

January 18th, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Frank E. Ashby, pastor of the First Friends Church of Plainfield, Indiana.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslangor, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker,

Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 98.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Douglas. Total, 2.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miles the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committee to be called for reports.

Reports were submitted as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 52, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 54, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all that part of Section 1 following the word "act" in line 4, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was re-

ferred House Bill No. 54, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

TURNER.  
LAFUZE.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The minority report of the committee was not substituted for the majority report.

The question being, Shall the majority report of the Committee be adopted?

The majority report of the Committee was adopted and the bill, as amended, was ordered printed.

Message from the Senate.

Mr. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Numbers 4-10 and 39, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 33, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 17, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the

same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Benevolent Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 65, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: Section two (2), line seven (7) the words 10% be substituted for 25% and when so amended that said bill do pass.

JAMESON,  
Chairman.

House concurs in the report and bill, with amendment, was ordered printed.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred House Bill No. 78, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Section 2. By inserting in section two (2) in line two (2) after the word "all", the word "malt" and by striking out of line four (4), after the word "nature" the words, "and all malt liquor whether", and in line five (5) the words "intoxicating or not."

Section 4. That in section four (4), line one (1), the words "September 1917" be stricken out and the words "January 1918" be written in lieu thereof.

Section 5. By inserting in section five (5), line nine (9) after the word "alcohol" the following words: "Nor shall it prohibit a wholesale druggist from selling pure grain alcohol, spirit-



uous or vinous liquors in quantities of not less than one (1) gallon at a time to any registered pharmacist holding a permit as herein provided, or to the officer of any public or charitable hospital or to any medical or other college, for medical, mechanical or scientific purposes, and only upon the written and signed application of such officer, as provided in this act."

Section 8. By inserting in section eight (8) in line two (2), after the word "alcohol" the words "spirituous or vinous liquors."

Section 9. By inserting in section nine (9) in line three (3), after the word "alcohol" the words "to any dentist, licensed as such by the State Board of Dental Examiners, for mechanical, medicinal or antiseptic purposes, on the written application of such dentist or" by striking out the word "a" in line four (4), section nine (9), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "any other."

Section 11. By striking out in section eleven (11), line twenty-five (25), after the word "judge" the following words "or justice," and by striking out the following words "of the peace" in line twenty-six (26) of said section, and by striking out the word "constable" of said line twenty-six (26), section eleven (11).

Section 16. By inserting in section sixteen (16) in line one (1) after the word "any" the words "wholesale druggist" followed by a comma (,).

Section 22. By striking out in section twenty-two (22), in line two (2) the figures "22" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "seven (7)."

Section 23. By inserting after the word "injunction" in section twenty-three (23), line two (2) the words "as provided for by section twenty-one (21) of this act."

Section 28. By inserting after the word "liquor" in line four (4) in section twenty-eight (28) the words "except as in this act provided."

Section 36. That section thirty-six (36) as numbered in this act be rewritten and amended to read as follows: Section 36. Within ten (10) days after the date when this act has become operative, every person except licensed pharmacists, wholesale druggists, manufacturing chemists or public hospitals shall remove or cause to be removed all intoxicating liquors in his possession from the State and failure to do so shall be prima facie evidence that such liquor is kept therein for the purpose of being sold, bartered, exchanged, given away, furnished or otherwise disposed of in violation of the provisions of this act: Provided, however, that this section shall not apply to alcohol kept for chemical or manufacturing purposes, or to one (1) gallon of intoxicating liquor, other than beer, or twelve (12) quarts of beer, or all wine manufactured for his own domestic consumption kept in his own home for domestic use, held by an individual; and provided further, that any licensed pharmacist, wholesale druggist, manufacturing chemist or public hospital shall report to the clerk of the circuit court within said ten (10) days period the kinds and amount of intoxicating liquor on hand.

Section 39. By inserting after the period following the word "year" in line eighteen (18) of section thirty-nine (39), the following sentence: "The Prosecuting Attorney shall receive a fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for each conviction of a violation of any of the provisions of this act, which fee shall be collected as other costs in the case."

That the following words be stricken from line nineteen (19) in said section thirty-nine (39) "and justices of the peace."

That all of line twenty-four (24) of

said section thirty-nine (39) be stricken out.

That in line twenty-five (25) in said section thirty-nine (39) the words "a certified" be stricken out, and that the lines of this section be renumbered.

And that the said bill be further amended by renumbering the following sections: Section thirty-five (35) be section thirty-four (34), that section thirty-six (36) be section thirty-five (35), that section thirty-seven (37) be section thirty-six (36), and section thirty-eight (38) be section thirty-seven (37), and section thirty-nine (39) be section thirty-eight (38), and section forty (40) be section thirty-nine (39), and section forty-one (41) be numbered section forty (40), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MYERS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and the bill, as amended, was ordered printed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Printing, to which was referred House Bill No. 107, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

GEDDES,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine and Public Health, to which was referred House Bill No. 88, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

READ,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. Read moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three

separate days, be suspended with and that this bill be read a second time by title, a third time by sections and put upon its passage.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 95.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a second time, considered engrossed and read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 96.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

There being no objections it was so ordered.

The clerk was ordered to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 127, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

House concurred in report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 118, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 113, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 119, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 84, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 98, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 21, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Section 329. Exemplifications or copies of records, and records of deeds and other instruments, or of office books or parts thereof, documents, records, papers and drawings, and official bonds which are kept in any public office in the State, shall be proved or admitted as legal evidence in any court or office in this State by the attestation of the keeper of said records, or books, deeds or other instruments, or official bonds, papers, documents or drawings that the same are true and complete copies of the records, books, deeds, bonds, papers, documents, drawings or instruments or parts thereof in his custody and the seal of office of said keeper thereto annexed, if there be a seal, and if there be no official seal, there shall be attached to such attestation the certificate of the clerk, and the seal of the Circuit or Superior Court of the proper county where such keeper resides, that such attestation is made by the proper officer.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 64, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 80, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 89, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be recommitted to your Committee on Roads.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report and House Bill No. 89 was recommitted to the Committee on Roads.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 39, by Senator Thornton, for first reading.

A bill for an act prohibiting practice by county attorneys before boards of county commissioners.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 10, by Mr. Simmons, for first reading.

A bill for an act entitled "An act regulating pleadings in the courts of the State of Indiana so as to avoid unnecessary repetitions of allegations in the several and respective paragraphs of such pleadings."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 7, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. Wood asked to be excused from attendance on account of sickness in his family.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 138, by Mr. Walker:

A bill for an act concerning the operation of motor vehicles and motor bicycles and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 139, by Mr. Walker:

A bill for an act directing the attorney general to investigate discriminations against oil producers and report thereon to the legislature.

Which was read a first time and reported to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 140, by Mr. Moore:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved March 8, 1915, and to prohibit any person except a regularly elected delegate or his alternate to sit in a party convention.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 141, by Mr. Moore:

A bill for an act providing for an official campaign handbook of candidates for county offices, and prohibiting advertising by such candidates elsewhere.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 142, by Mr. Eikenberry (by request):

A bill for an act prohibiting theatrical performances and other exhibitions on Sundays unless one-half the gross receipts are given over for charitable purposes.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

House Bill No. 143, by Mr. Grube:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act regulating the transfer of children from one school corporation to another and fixing the price of tuition, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 11, 1901, and repealing all laws and parts of laws

in conflict herewith," approved March 6, 1909," approved February 22, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 144, by Mr. Baker:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act entitled an act providing a bounty for killing common crows, and destroying their eggs, providing payment therefor, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 145, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act relative to payment of deposits in trust.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 146, by Mr. Symons (by request):

A bill for an act concerning bank transactions after twelve o'clock noon on Saturdays.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 147, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act providing for county libraries and for the extension of library privileges to counties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Libraries.

House Bill No. 148, by Mr. Davis of Lake.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section five and one-half (5½) of an act entitled an act concerning drainage approved March 11th, 1907," approved

March 11th, 1907," approved March 8th, 1909.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 149, by Mr. Sambor:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, by adding thereto an additional section numbered 369½.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 150, by Mr. Dilworth:

A bill for an act to amend sections twenty-five (25) and twenty-eight (28) of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents; to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of employment; to provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of compensation," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 151, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act providing that boards of county commissioners shall furnish tetanus anti-toxin to county health commissioners for public use.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Health.

## House Bill No. 152, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act authorizing persons in charge of registered bloodhounds to arrest and detain persons detected and apprehended, and declaring any evidence so disclosed by registered bloodhounds admissible in criminal cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

## House Bill No. 153, by Mr. Swain:

A bill for an act fixing the liability of a bank to its depositor for payment of forged or raised checks.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 154, by Mr. Alldredge: A bill for an act authorizing and regulating the practice of Chiropractic in the State of Indiana, creating a State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, prescribing its powers and duties, providing penalties for violations of this act, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and reported to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

## House Bill No. 155, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act to prohibit the practice of palmistry, clairvoyancy, astrology or fortune telling by cards or other devices for money or gain, and to provide a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act.

Which was read a first time and reported to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

## House Bill No. 156, by Mr. Bayer:

A bill for an act providing state aid for high school teachers in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and reported to the Committee on Education.

## House Bill No. 157, by Mr. Bayer:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section four (4) of 'An act concerning the school attendance of children,' approved March 14, 1913" approved March 6, 1915.

Which was read a first time and reported to the Committee on Education.

## House Bill No. 158, by Mr. Johnson of Pulaski:

A bill for an act concerning notaries public who are stockholders, directors, officers, or employees of banks or other corporations.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

## House Bill No. 159, by Mr. Johnson of Pulaski:

A bill for an act relative to the payment of deposits to minors or other persons under disability.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

## House Bill No. 160, by Mr. Wright of Randolph:

A bill for an act requiring operators of hay or straw presses or balers to procure licenses; and regulating the sale of baled hay and straw.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

## House Bill No. 161, by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of 'An act to limit the charge which may be made for the transportation of passengers by any corporation, firm or individual owning or operating a railroad in whole or in part within this state, providing for the transportation of baggage, making

it unlawful for any person to ride as a passenger without the payment of prescribed and published fares, providing for penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith,' approved February 25, 1909," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 162, by Mr. Read:

A bill for an act entitled an act creating all-time county and city health commissioners, defining their duties and powers, fixing salaries, giving certain powers to the State Board of Health, exempting cities of the first class from the requirements herein, and repealing acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 163, by Mr. Read:

A bill for an act giving the boards of county commissioners of counties in the State of Indiana, power and authority to license, tax, regulate, restrain or prohibit pool tables, billiard tables, alleys, machines, devices or places of any kind for sports or games, and providing a penalty.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

Bills on second reading:

The Speaker handed down House Bills Nos. 16, 24, 28, 36, 39 and 61. All were engrossed, without objection.

House Bill No. 53, by Mr. Kimmel was ordered engrossed, with added amendments.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the

House adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY MORNING.

January 19, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative William J. Miles.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Arby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 98.



Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Cronin, Waltz. Total, 2.

Mr. Hepler asked to be excused from attendance for the day.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Winesburg, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

Reports were submitted as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 99, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 146, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 12, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 11, and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 125, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: By striking out the words and figures "fifteen hundred (1,500)" in line three (3) of section one (1), and inserting in their stead "two thousand (2,000)" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 133, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: By inserting after the word "city" in line nine (9) of section one (1), the words "or by such constable or by such specially deputized person," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 5, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to

report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 76, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 40, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 19, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5, has had the same under considera-

tion and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MENDENHALL,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 136, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MASON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 11, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

JINNETT,  
HOUGHTON,  
YODER,  
KIMMEL,  
DAVIS of Jay,  
DOWNEY.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 11, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all that part of section one (1) following the word "that" in line fourteen (14) and preceding the

word "the" in line nineteen (19), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

SIPE,  
McNAGNY,  
WOOD,  
HARKER,  
HARTKE,  
BONHAM.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The minority report of the committee was substituted for the majority report.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee as substituted for the majority report be adopted?

The minority report of the committee as substituted for the majority report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 51, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 139, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in thereport.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House recessed for one hour.

The House called to order by the Speaker at 12:45 o'clock.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 11, by Senator Simmons:

A bill for an act entitled, "An act declaring void the provisions of a will directing that if any beneficiary thereunder shall take any proceeding to contest the same, or to prevent its admission to probate, or words to that effect such beneficiary shall take no part of the estate of such testator."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

Bills on second reading:

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 15, for second reading.

House Bill No. 15, being:

A bill for an act creating the sixty-ninth judicial circuit and defining the second judicial circuit of the State of Indiana, fixing the time for holding court therein, and providing for the appointment of a judge and prosecuting attorney.

Mr. Williams offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 15 by striking out in section six (6) line one (1) the word "immediate" also.

By striking out in section six (6), line three (3), the words "its passage" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the first Monday in April, 1917."

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The following amendment was offered by Mr. Waltz:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the report of the Committee on Mileage and Accounts as follows: Opposite the names of Representative Sambor and Lake Co., strike

out the figures 310 in the mileage column and insert the figures 340. Strike out the sum of sixty-two dollars and insert the sum of sixty-eight dollars.

Which amendment was adopted.

The report of the Committee on mileage was ordered corrected in accordance with the motion.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 73, for second reading.

House Bill No. 73, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the construction of free gravel, stone or macadamized roads; providing for new estimates of the same, and receiving the bids for the construction of the same and declaring an emergency,' approved March 7, 1905, and declaring an emergency," approved March 14, 1913.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 59, for second reading.

House Bill No. 59, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the election of delegates to a convention to revise the constitution of the state and providing for the assembling of the convention and preparations incidental to the conduct of the convention and making appropriation therefor.

Mr. Williams offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 59 by striking out in section one (1), lines two (2) and three (3) the words "third Tuesday in September," and insert in lieu thereof the words, "first Tuesday after the first Monday in November." also, in section thirteen (13) line 3, by

striking out the words "second Tuesday," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the first Thursday after the first Monday."

Mr. McGonagle offered the following amendment:

## HOUSE MOTION.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 59.

(1) By striking out of line three (3) in section two (2) the word "Senatorial" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "representative," and (2) By striking out the word "twice" in line three (3), section two (2), and (3) By striking out of line four (4) in section two (2) the word "Senators" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "representatives." (4) By striking out the word "Senators" in line sixteen (16) of section two (2), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "representatives", and, (5) By striking out of line three (3) in section four (4) the word "Senatorial" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Representative" and, (6) By striking out of line seven (7) in section four (4) the word "Senatorial" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Representative", and, (7) By striking out of line four (4) in section ten (10) the word "Senatorial" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Representative," and, (8) By striking out of line one (1) in section eleven (11) the words "Senatorial" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Representative," and, (9) By striking out of line two (2) in section eleven (11) the word "Senatorial" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Representative," and, (10) By striking out of line two (2) in section twelve (12) the word "Senatorial" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Representative," and, (11) By striking out of line four (4) in section twelve (12) the word "Senator" and inserting in lieu thereof the word Representative." All references to line and section numbers

being as the same appear in the printed bill.

McGONAGLE,

Which amendments were adopted and the bill passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 54 for second reading.

House Bill No. 54, being:

A bill for an act to prevent the hunting, trapping, netting or in any way of killing of quail for a period of three (3) years, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 65, for second reading.

House Bill No. 65, being:

A bill for an act making it the duty of the Board of Trustees and the Superintendent of the Indiana State Farm to establish a system of awards for merit, and granting such board and superintendent power to decrease the original sentence of certain prisoners.

On motion of Mr. Cravens, the bill was made a special order for 2:00 o'clock Monday, January 22, 1917.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at two o'clock January 22, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON.

January 22, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. D. J. Good, pastor of the United Brethern Church, Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 99.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Mr. Downey. Total, 1.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Friday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Harker, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

House Bill No. 65, which had been made a special order for 2:00 o'clock was passed to engrossment.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

Reports were submitted as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 46, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: That in section four (4), line four (4), the ninth (9th) word be changed to read "shall" instead of "may" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 30, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred House Bill No. 108, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

WOOD,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 96, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "feloniously" in line two (2), section one (1) and

writing in lieu thereof the following: "without the consent of the owner."

By striking out the word "feloniously" in line seven (7) of said section one (1).

By striking out the word "stolen" in line ten (10) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "taken."

By striking out the word "stealing" in said line ten (10) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "taking."

By striking out the word "stealing" in line two (2), section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "taking."

By striking out the word "steals" in line three (3) in section one (1) and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 164, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act regulating the issuance of license to marry, and prohibiting the issuance of such license to certain persons, prescribing the duties of the clerk of the circuit court, and providing penalties for the violations of the provisions of this act." Approved April 15, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 165, by Mr. Eikenberry.

A bill for an act to amend section four hundred and fifty-seven (457) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 166, by Mr. Eikenberry:

"A bill for an act creating a state moving picture commission; defining its duties; providing for its maintenance, for the appointment of the commissioners and the fixing of their salaries; for fees to be charged and the disposition of the same; and for penalties for the failure to comply with this act."

Which was read for a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 167, by Mr. Houghton:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act providing for the levying of taxes for township funds," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

House Bill No. 168, by Mr. Miltenberger:

A bill for an act to provide for the sale by weight of certain commodities and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 169, by Mr. Coggins:

A bill for an act legalizing certain township warrants defectively issued for a valuable and meritorious consideration, and all proceedings under which the same were issued, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 170, by Mr. Harmon (by request):

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning changes of venue in civil and criminal actions."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 171, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act relative to payment of deposits in two names.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 172, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act defining the crime of burglary with explosives and providing the punishment therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 84 and 49, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

House Bill No. 173 by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act concerning county superintendents of schools, their qualifications for office, compensation and providing for the appointment of clerks, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 174, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act concerning the employment and dismissal of teachers, principals, and supervisors and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 175, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act concerning annuities for aged, infirm, disabled, diseased or retired teachers in cities having a population of not less than 20,000 nor more than 100,000, according to the last preceding United States census, and declaring an emergency," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 176, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act concerning the protection of trainmen who are obliged to pass through tunnels in the course of a regular run.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 177, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act concerning the installation of plumbing fixtures and apparatus in cities and towns in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 178, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act concerning the taxation of farm land used exclusively for general farming and stock raising purposes lying within any town corporation of two thousand (2,000) or less population in the State of Indiana, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 179, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act requiring prescriptions to be written in English.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 180, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act creating a State Highway Commission providing for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways, and providing for co-operation with the Federal Government in the construction of rural post roads.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 181, by Mr. Hyland:

A bill for an act providing for a civil service commission in cities of the first class, fixing their duties, and fixing qualifications for members of the police and fire departments of such cities.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 182, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill in regard to the display of flags on school houses.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 183, by Mr. Scott:

A bill for an act in regard to markers for the graves of deceased soldiers.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 184, by Mr. Scott:

"A bill for an act making an appropriation for the payment of part of the expenses of the annual encampment of the Indiana Department of the Grand Army of the Republic, and for the payment of part of the expenses of maintaining such department."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.



House Bill No. 185, by Mr. Green.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act regulating the taxing of dogs and for the protection of sheep, cattle, horses, swine and other live stock and fowls; to provide penalties for its violation; to repeal all laws in conflict." Approved March 6, 1897.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 186, by Mr. Elmer Johnson:

"A bill for an act to limit the liability of a bank for non-payment of a check through error."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 187, by Mr. Durham:

"A bill for an act providing for the apprehension of persons sentenced to the Indiana State Farm escaping therefrom, removing persons convicted and sentenced for escaping from said farm to the Indiana State Prison and Indiana Reformatory, providing how appointed agents and sheriffs shall be paid for apprehending said persons and for removing such persons to the Indiana State Prison and Reformatory after their conviction, and declaring an emergency."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 188, by Mr. Haslanger:

A bill for an act relative to appeals to the public service commission of Indiana from certain ordinances and resolutions passed or adopted by the boards of trustees of any town, and repealing conflicting laws.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 189, by Mr. Haslanger:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the better care and control of orphan, dependent, neglected and abandoned children, providing for the establishment, government and maintenance of associations and asylums, the appointment of agents, an appropriation for the payment of the expenses of such agents, regulating the retention of children in county poor asylums, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency, approved February 23, 1897,' and declaring an emergency, approved February 26, 1907, and sections eight (8) and nine (9) of an act entitled "An act to authorize the better care and control of orphan, dependent, neglected and abandoned children, providing for the establishment, government and maintenance of associations and asylums, the appointment of agents, an appropriation for the payment of the expenses of such agents, regulating the retention of children in county poor asylums, repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1897, legalizing certain payments and adding supplemental sections approved March 15 1913."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 190, by Mr. Gorski:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act approved May 12th, 1869, entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of savings banks, and the safe and proper management of its affairs,' and amended

by an act approved March 7th, 1873, entitled an act to amend the fifteenth, (15), nineteenth (19), thirty-first (31), and forty-ninth (49), sections of an act approved May 12, 1869, entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of savings banks, and the safe and proper management of its affairs, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 3, 1893," approved March 7, 1903.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 191, by Mr. Curry:

A bill for an act requiring that all boots and shoes made in whole or in part imitation leather shall be stamped accordingly.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 192, by Mr. O'Leary:

A bill for an act concerning the consolidation of district schools in two or more townships.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 193, by Mr. Dynes.

A bill for an act to create a division of market of the department of statistics and to prescribe its power and duties, and making an appropriation therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 4, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Black-

more, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker: Total, 93.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 91, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 84, by Senator Van Auken.

A bill for an act regulating the granting of decrees of divorce and of separation from bed and board for a limited period.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 49, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act to fix the venue in actions for damages growing out of collisions between vehicles and collisions between vehicles and persons, animals and other objects of property, upon and adjacent to the public highways of the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 6, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe,

Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 92.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 16, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods,

Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 90.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

Mr. Southard offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 16, by striking out the following words to-wit, "the protection of fish in Lake Michigan" and insert in lieu thereof the following, to-wit, "to regulate the catching of fish in Lake Michigan, providing a penalty for the violation thereof and declaring an emergency."

Which motion prevailed.

The title was declared amended.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 24, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Milten-

berger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 87.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Cronin, Day, Eisterhold, Turner, Waltz. Total, 6.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 28, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan,

Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 90.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Gentry, Houghton, McClaskey and Westrick. Total, 4.

The Bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 53, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, West-

fall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 94.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Gorski, Hepler. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The following motion to amend the title was offered by Mr. Kimmel:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 53, by inserting the word "peeping or attempting to peep or" on line one (1) after the word "from" and before the word "going".

Which motion prevailed.

The title was declared amended.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 36, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, O'Leary, Sambor, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick. Total, 25.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Harker, Harmon, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGon-

agle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 66.

The bill failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 39, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 93.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 54, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Walker, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Burt, Cronin, Eisterhold, Gentry, Habermel, Haslanger, Lafuze, Osborn, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick. Total, 12.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Harris, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 7, was recommended to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Secretary of House of Representatives.

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## TUESDAY MORNING.

January 23, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Robert Arthur Elwood, "The Board Walk Speaker," Atlantic City.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey,

McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 99.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Mr. Hougham. Total, 1.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Monday afternoon to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

The Committee on Banks made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 171, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

The Committee on Agriculture made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 35, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SWAIN,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

The Committee on Public Morals made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred House Bill No. 142, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MYERS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was recommitted En-grossed Senate Bill No. 7, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 194, by Mr. Walker:

A bill for an act directing the attorney general to investigate discriminations against oil producers and report thereon to the legislature.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 195, by Mr. Turner:

A bill for an act concerning proceedings in civil cases and to authorize attorneys to resume the practice of law.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 196, by Mr. Robertson:

A bill for an act to amend section fourteen (14) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 14, 15, 17, 18 and 23 of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations", approved March 6, 1905,' and section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," and conferring certain powers and duties on the railroad commission of Indiana, and providing penalties, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, approved March 1, 1907,' approved March 8, 1909," approved February 27, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 197, by Mr. Cravens (by request):

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 4, 13, 14, 21 and 27 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax on gifts, inheritances, bequests, legacies, devices and successions in certain cases," approved February 28, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 198, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act concerning the length of school term and financial deficiencies, and repealing all laws or parts of laws conflicting therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 199, by Mr. Dilworth:

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications and tenure of office of all staff



officers including officers of the pay, inspection, subsistence and medical departments of the Indiana National Guard, hereafter appointed, repealing conflicting laws and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 200, by Mr. Swain:

A bill for an act to prevent the abandonment of parents by children.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 201, by Mr. Hyland:

A bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-nine (449) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 202, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to legalize certain drainage bonds and all proceedings under which the same were issued, saving pending litigation and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 203, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act concerning licenses to vend foreign merchandise, maintain ferries, conduct stock and exchange brokerage, exhibit caravans, menageries, circuses, tent-shows, carnivals, rope and wire dancing, legerdemain, theaters, moving picture shows, ventriloquism, puppet-show, concert and wagon shows.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 204, by Mr. Henke:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend section two (2), three (3), and five (5), of an act entitled 'An act entitled an act to amend section one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), seven (7), and eight (8) of an act entitled "An act to protect the people of Indiana by requiring all persons selling at retail, or compounding for sale at retail, any poison or compound containing a poison, providing exceptions to be duly licensed; providing for registration and re-registration and time for each; providing for necessary examination of applicants for license and time for holding the same, fixing the amount of fees and time of payment; providing for the establishment of a board of pharmacy and for its maintenance, regulation and duties; providing necessary penalties for the violation of this act, which became a law without the governor's signature, March 1, 1899,' approved March 9, 1907," approved March 6, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 205, by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act to provide for the erection of a monument in memory of General Pleasant A. Hackleman, and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 206, by Mr. Haslanger:

A bill for an act creating playground commissions in cities of the second class.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 207, by Mr. Curry:

A bill for an act providing for the consolidation of township schools with the schools of a town or towns in the township.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 208, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act concerning milk and milk products.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 209, by Mr. Hoffman:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning county superintendents, their qualifications for office, compensation and providing for the appointment of assistants," approved March 2, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 210, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act concerning the qualification and compensation of teachers, and the issuing of teachers' licenses, and repealing all laws conflicting therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Williams offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move you that House Bill No. 81, be recommitted to Judiciary B for re-hearing.

WILLIAMS.

On motion of Mr. Vesey the motion was tabled.

Mr. Williams offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move you that House Bill No. 113, be recommitted to Judiciary A for re-hearing.

WILLIAMS.

On motion of Mr. Harker, the motion was tabled.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 99, for second reading.

House Bill No. 99, being:

A bill for an act concerning any individual, partnership, or unincorporated persons transacting a banking business, as public depositories.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 92, for second reading:

House Bill No. 92, being:

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning criminal courts," approved April 12, 1881, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 11, for second reading.

House Bill No. 11 being:

A bill for an act to amend section 255 of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881.

On motion of Mr. Harris, House Bill No. 11, was made a special order for 11:00 o'clock to-morrow morning.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 40, for second reading.

House Bill No. 40 being:

A bill for an act legalizing certain county and highway bonds, and all proceedings under which the same were issued and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 125, for second reading.

House Bill No. 125 being:

A bill for an act permitting incorporated towns to assume indebtedness of its school town, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Houghton offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 125, by adding section two (2) thereto as follows:

Section 2. Such school indebtedness shall be assumed by such civil town by the passage of a resolution by the board of trustees of such town at any regular meeting thereof to the effect that such indebtedness is assumed by such town and stating therein the date of the resolution or order of the school board creating such indebtedness the page of the record where recorded, the date of the bonds or other evidence of indebtedness assumed, the denomination thereof, the rate of interest they bear, when the same becomes due and where payable and when and where the interest thereon is payable. Upon the passage of such resolution the abolishment of the school trustees of such town and the compliance with section one (1) of this act by the school township such indebtedness shall become the debt of such civil town, and the board of trustees of such town are authorized to levy a tax of not to exceed

thirty cents on each one hundred dollars (\$100) of the taxable property of such town to provide funds to pay such indebtedness as the same becomes due and to continue such levy from year to year until such indebtedness is paid. Provided that any funds in the treasury of the school board raised for the payment of such indebtedness, and the funds to be raised from any levy made by the school town prior to such assumption and payable thereafter shall be paid to the treasurer of such town and be applied solely to the payment of such indebtedness so assumed, and that the sections be renumbered and that section two (2) of the original bill be numbered section three (3).

HOUGHTON,

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the bill, with the amendment, was recommended to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 27, for second reading.

House Bill No. 27, being:

A bill for an act concerning the protection and propagation of trout; providing for the licensing, establishing and regulation of private trout hatcheries, and the closure of certain waters of the state for trout breeding grounds; and authorizing the issuance of permits to obtain trout for breeding purpose.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 78, for second reading.

House Bill No. 78, being:

A bill for an act prohibiting the manufacture, sale, gift, advertisement or transportation of intoxicating liquor except for certain purposes and under certain conditions.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Wright of Randolph offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 78, by striking out the words "that may be used as a beverage" in line six (6), section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the words "reasonably likely or intended to be used as a beverage." And that the word "by" in line eighteen (18) of section sixteen (16) be stricken out and in lieu thereof the word "with" to be substituted therefor.

WRIGHT of Randolph.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Krieg offered the following amendment:

I move to amend House Bill No. 78, section fifteen (15) to read as follows: "After the first day of January, 1918, it shall be unlawful for any person in this State to receive directly or indirectly intoxicating liquors from a common or other carrier and for a person in this State to possess intoxicating liquors received directly or indirectly from a common or other carrier in the State, except that such liquors have been received from such common carrier by a person holding a permit to receive intoxicating liquors as provided for in this act."

KRIEG.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Osborn offered the following amendment:

I move to amend House Bill No. 78, by striking out all of that part of section fifteen (15) in line six (6) after the word "state" and all of line seven (7).

OSBORN.

On motion of Mr. Wright, the amendment was laid on the table.

Mr. Moore offered the following amendment:

I move to amend House Bill No. 78, by adding thereto a new section numbered thirty-nine and one-half (39½) to read as follows: Section 39½. There shall be paid from the State treasury to each person owning a distillery or brewery whose operation is prohibited by this act an amount equal to the assessed valuation of the property of such distillery or brewery located in this State. The auditor of State shall draw his warrant for the amount of such assessed valuation and an amount sufficient to pay therefor is hereby appropriated.

MOORE.

On motion of Mr. Wright, the amendment was laid on the table.

The bill passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 76, for second reading:

House Bill No. 76, being:

A bill for an act authorizing certain incorporated towns to contract with township trustees relative to the joint use of the schools of such towns by the inhabitants of such town and those of the township wherein such town is located, and relative to the joint operation of such schools and the division of the expense thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 133, for second reading:

House Bill No. 133, being:

A bill for an act to amend section 225 of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved Mar. 6, 1905.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 133 as follows, to-wit: By striking out "this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval," of section two (2) of said act, and by inserting as follows, section two (2) when warrants or other process issued by the city court shall be directed to any constable or specially deputized person and executed and returned by either of them the said city court shall tax a fee and mileage as is now allowed and taxed by justices of the peace in like cases.

KIMMEL.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the bill, with the amendment was recommitted to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 51, for second reading:

House Bill No. 51, being:

A bill for an act providing for a recording tax for mortgages.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 146, for second reading.

A bill for an act concerning bank transactions after twelve o'clock noon on Saturdays.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down the following bills for third reading:

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 15, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 92.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer and Cooper. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 61, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook,

Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmell, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 68.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Burt, Cronin, Downey, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Lafuze, O'Leary, Overmyer, Ryan, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick. Total, 27.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 73, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby,

Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 80.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Grube, Harmon, Hepler, Jacoby, Robertson. Total, 9.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 59, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby,

Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 87.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Burt, Cronin, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Hepler, Ryan, Waltz. Total, 10.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, January 24, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING.

January 24, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Harry F. Rector, pastor of the Christian Church at Plainfield, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eickenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 99.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Mr. Axby.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 4, has had the same under consideration

and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 186, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 159, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 143, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 157, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 156, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 192, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 194, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 202, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back



to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 199, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DILWORTH,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 114, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 155, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: That section five (5) be added to said bill which section shall read as follows:

Section 5. None of the provisions of this act shall apply to the Ministers and Missionaries of any denomination incorporated as a religious body under the Statutes of Indiana who fully conform to the rites and practices prescribed by the Supreme Conference Convocation, Convention, Association, Assembly or

Synod of the system with which they are affiliated.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 144, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 144, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

BULLER,  
JOHNSON,  
BAYER.

On motion of Mr. Harker, the bill with the reports was recommitted to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 77, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 152, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 34, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 69, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

In section one (1) lines seventeen (17) and eighteen (18), by striking out the words and figures "not less than three (3) days nor more than ten (10) days" and inserting in their stead the words and figures, to-wit: "not less than five (5) days nor more than fifteen (15) days."

In line nineteen (19), section one (1), by striking out the word "may" and inserting in its stead the word "shall."

In section two (2), by striking out all of lines 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31.

In section four (4), line five (5), by striking out the words, "less than ten

dollars (\$10.) nor" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 125, by adding section two (2) thereto as follows:

Section 2. Such school indebtedness shall be assumed by such civil town by passage of a resolution by the Board of Trustees of such town at any regular meeting thereof to the effect that such indebtedness is assumed by such town and stating therein the date of the resolution or order of the school board creating such indebtedness the page of the record where recorded, the date of the bonds or other evidence of indebtedness, assumed, the denomination thereof, the rate of interest they bear, when the same becomes due and where payable and when and where the interest thereon is payable. Upon the passage of such resolution the abolishment of the school trustees of such town and the compliance with section one (1) of this act by the school township such indebtedness shall become the debt of such civil town, and the board of trustees of such town are authorized to levy a tax of not to exceed thirty cents on each one hundred dollars (\$100) of the taxable property of such town to provide funds to pay such indebtedness as the same becomes due and to continue such levy from year to year until such indebtedness is paid. Provided that any funds in the treasury of the school board raised for the payment of such indebtedness, and the funds to be raised from any levy made by the school town prior to such assumption and payable thereafter shall be paid to the treasurer of such town and be applied solely, to the payment of such indebtedness so assumed, and that the sections be renumbered and that section two (2)

of the original bill be numbered section three (3).

HOUGHTON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 133, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows, to-wit:

By striking out "this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval," of section two (2) of said act, and by inserting as follows: Section 2. "when warrants or other process issued by the city court shall be directed to any constable or specially deputized person and executed and returned by either of them the said city court shall tax a fee and mileage as is now allowed and taxed by justices of the peace in like cases."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. McGonagle moved that when the House adjourn that it adjourn to meet at 10 o'clock to-morrow.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McClaskey offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

Whereas, the Hon. Wm. T. Greene, died in this city January 23, 1917, and

Whereas, at the time of his death he was a distinguished and highly respected member of the Senate of the Seventieth General Assembly of the State of Indiana, I therefore move that a committee of five (5) members of this House

be appointed by the Speaker to draft suitable and appropriate resolutions in memorial of the death of Senator Greene and report the same to the House for its action.

ROBERT W. McCLASKEY.

Which was adopted by the House and the Speaker appointed the following committee: Messrs. McClaskey, Houghton, McGonagle, Cravens and Durham.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Senator William T. Greene, that the House do now adjourn.

MR. MCGONAGLE.

Which motion prevailed.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## THURSDAY MORNING.

January 25, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. A. C. V. Skinner, pastor of Grace Presbyterian Church at Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham,

Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 98.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Axby, Davis of Jay. Total, 2.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

Reports were submitted as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 191, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 86,

has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

First: by striking out the words "for work to be executed for such corporation" in section seven (7), line five (5).

Second: by striking out the word "or" after the word "mechanic" in line twenty-three (23) of section twelve (12), and inserting the words "or contractor" after the word "builder" in said line twenty-three (23).

Third: by striking out the words "Witnesses shall be entitled to the same fees as witnesses in a court of record, to be paid in like manner" in lines 38, 39 and 40 in section fourteen (14).

Fourth: By inserting the words "of architects" after the word "Examiners" in line six (6) of section fifteen (15).

Fifth: By striking out the words "or without the other parts" in line twenty-one (21), page seven (7) and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "such other parts or permanent appliances incident thereto, if any, as may be covered by or provided for in the plans and specifications of the architect."

Sixth: By inserting in line four (4), page one (1) after the word "a" and before the word "board" the word "non-partisan."

Seventh: By inserting in line five (5), page one (1) after the word "members," the following words "not more than three (3) of whom shall be of one political party."

Eighth: By inserting after the word "person" in line one (1) page five (5) the following words "of good moral character." and that with the above amendments that the same do pass.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 168, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 164, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 97, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 158, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 153, has had the same under consideration and

begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 131, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out the word "and" in line six (6), section one (1).

2. By inserting in line seven (7), section one (1), after the word "River" and before the word "and" the words "and that part of the Wabash River which is a boundary between Indiana and Illinois" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

LAFUZE,  
HARKER,  
KIMMEL,  
JOHNSON,  
DYNES.

The minority report was as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 131, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

CURRY,  
BAYER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The minority report is not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurs in the majority report.

The bill was ordered printed with the amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 144, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
KIMMEL,  
CURRY,  
DYNES,  
LAFUZE.

The minority report was as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 144, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

BAYER,  
BULLER,  
JOHNSON.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was carried and the minority report was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 120, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "have" after the word "already" in line eight (8) of section nine (9);

By striking out the period succeeding the word "affiliate" in line fourteen (14) of section ten (10) and inserting in lieu thereof a comma;

By striking out the capital letter "T" in the word "The" preceding the word "election" in line fourteen (14) of section ten (10) and inserting in lieu thereof a small letter "t";

By striking out the period succeeding the word "affiliate" in line thirty-seven (37) of section ten (10) and inserting in lieu thereof a comma;

By striking out the capital letter "S" in the word "Such" preceding the word "ballot" in line thirty-seven (37) of section ten (10) and inserting in lieu thereof a small letter "s";

By striking out all of lines fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of section fourteen (14) beginning with the word "he" following the comma after the word "thereof" and ending with and including the word "thereof" preceding the word "be";

By striking out the word "fact" in line thirteen (13) of section twenty (20) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "face";

By striking out the last word "such" in line twenty-six (26) of section twenty-one (21) and the words "ballots as are prepared and printed" in line twenty seven (27) of section twenty one (21);

By adding a new section to said bill to be numbered section twenty two (22) which new and additional section shall read as follows:

Section 22. Whereas an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

DYNES,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred House Bill No. 148, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

WOOD,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 100, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DAVIS of Lake,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 109, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DAVIS of Lake,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 177, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No.

85, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes to which was referred House Bill No. 50, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOOD,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 64, be recommitted to Judiciary A Committee for further consideration.

MCGONAGLE.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 211, by Mr. Moore:

A bill for an act concerning executions and exemptions, and providing for liens in certain cases in favor of judgment creditors, and collecting same.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 212, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to enable owners of real estate upon which

assessments for public improvements have been made by cities, to arrange for payment of the same on time without the issuance of bonds as provided by existing laws."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 213, by Mr. Moore:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, management and control of drainage districts in counties wherein are located any city having a population of not less than 60,000 nor more than 68,000, according to the last preceding United States census, granting such district and its officers power and authority to construct, maintain and repair improvements therein, giving them powers of condemnation and appropriation and defining generally the rights, powers, duties and authority of such drainage district and the officers thereof and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 214, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act concerning the deportations of non-resident insane, feeble-minded, epileptic or poor persons, and making an appropriation.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 215, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act to provide for payment of cost of care in benevolent institutions from the property or estates of inmates, in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 216, by Mr. Turner:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend section 673 of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses, approved March 10, 1905'".

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 217, by Mr. Coggins:

A bill for an act to amend section fourteen (14) of an act entitled "An act regulating prosecutions in cases of bastardy and providing for the support of illegitimate children," approved May 6, 1852.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 218, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties and the registration of voters.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill Nos. 20, 65 and 88 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

House Bill No. 219, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act providing for a board of library examiners to issue certificates of qualifications to librarians.



Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Libraries.

House Bill No. 220, by Mr. Johnson of Grant:

A bill for an act providing for the examination of the receipts and disbursements of the Panama Pacific Exposition.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 221, by Mr. Baker:

A bill for an act providing for the regulation of trapping and for the protection of fur bearing animals and providing penalties for violation of the same, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 222, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act concerning fire drills in public schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 223, by Mr. Mendenhall:

A bill for an act to prohibit the concealing of automobiles or motor vehicles by removing, defacing or covering the serial numbers or other distinguishing marks.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 224, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act concerning working quarters for train dispatching employees of steam and electric railways.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 225, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act authorizing an economy and efficiency survey under the direction of the Governor.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 226, by Mr. Wood:

A bill for an act for the relief of Charles T. Whaley, of Newton County, Indiana, to authorize and direct the governor to issue to him a patent for certain real estate, correcting an erroneous description in a patent for said land heretofore issued by the trustees of the Wabash and Erie canal and relinquishing the claims of the State of Indiana to said real estate, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 227, by Mr. Davis of Jay:

A bill for an act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled "An act providing for the government of the state university, the management of its funds, and for the disposition of the lands thereof," approved June 17, 1852.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 228, by Mr. Westfall:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 229, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section four (4) and six (6) of an act entitled "An act prescribing the powers and duties of coroners," approved May 27th, 1852, and providing an emergency,' approved February 9th, 1871, and to repeal sections two (2) and three (3) thereof. Also to amend sections ten (10) and eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act prescribing the powers and duties of coroners," approved May 27th, 1852, and to repeal sections five (5) and seven (7) of said act, and abolishing coroners' juries," approved March 29, 1879.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 230, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act concerning changes of venue on motion.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 231, by Mr. Dilworth (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 232, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred and seventy-eight (178) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 233, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act providing that all fees charged and collected by county treasurers in the collection of delinquent taxes shall be the property of the county in which such collections are made.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 234, by Mr. Sipe (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the education of the blind in the state universities and the state normal school.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 235, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act to establish a bureau of agriculture of the State of Indiana, defining its powers and duties and authorizing and empowering the Governor to take from the Indiana state board of agriculture a title to the Indiana state fair grounds, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 236, by Mr. Dynes (by request).

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend sections 107, 108, 109, 111, 112, and 265' of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 110, 115 and 116' of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations, approved March 6, 1905', approved March 12, 1907, and declaring an emergency, approved March 8, 1909," repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 237, by Mr. Jacoby:

A bill for an act defining the forty-first (41st) and creating the sixty-ninth (69th) judicial circuits of the State of Indiana, fixing the time for holding courts therein, and providing for the appointment of a judge and prosecuting attorney.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 238, by Mr. Houghton:

A bill for an act concerning the assessment of the property of public utilities.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 239, by Mr. Miles (by request):

A bill for an act to provide for the holding of monthly township teachers' institutes; to authorize the holding of monthly teachers' institutes in school towns and school cities at the discretion of the boards of education and superintendent of schools of said towns and cities; to provide for the payment for attendance upon such institutes; to declare an emergency; and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 240, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act providing for donations to the state educational and state charitable or benevolent institutions and to the State of Indiana for state parks or other state purposes, on annuities returned, and providing for proper safeguards thereto, and legalizing former gifts to these institutions.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 241, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to appropriate twenty eight thousand dollars (\$28,000.00) for the use of the Indiana battle flag commission in continuing the work of encasing and preserving battle and regimental flags, and for other purposes.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 242, by Mr. Bayer:

A bill for an act concerning the burial of the bodies of persons who have died from a contagious or infectious disease.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 243, by Mr. Bayer:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the maintenance and repair of township highways,' approved Mar. 15, 1913," approved March 3, 1915, and to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of township highways," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 244, by Mr. Wright of Randolph:

A bill for an act authorizing the abandonment of a school in a school district or corporation having an indebtedness and the purchase of the property of such an abandoned school by the school trustee of the school township in which such school district or corporation is located.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 245, by Mr. Bartel:

A bill for an act to provide alternative forms of government for cities adopting the same.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 246, by Mr. McNagny:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

Mr. Symons offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Whereas, since the close of the 69th General Assembly the able, respected and honored citizen, Hon. John A. Deem of Knightstown, Indiana, who so faithfully represented Henry County in the 53rd and 54th sessions of the General Assembly passed to the great beyond, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, that in his death, the State lost one of its most patriotic and foremost citizens, a gentleman whose love of humanity endeared him to all who knew him.

Be it further resolved, that this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House and a copy thereof be forwarded to the family of the deceased by the chief clerk of the House.

LUTHER F. SYMONS.

The resolution was adopted.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 20, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act to provide for the release from record of mechanics' liens, liens for materials and laborers' liens upon real estate, when action to enforce same has not been commenced within one year from the time of filing notice of intention to hold such lien, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 65, by Senator Reidelbach:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act entitled an act concerning liens upon real estate, the foreclosure and operation thereof," approved March 6, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 88, for first reading, by Senator Bird:

A bill for an act concerning the care of prisoners at a county workhouse, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Townships.

The Speaker handed down for second reading House Bill No. 46:

House Bill No. 46, being:

A bill for an act authorizing township trustees, boards of school trustees and boards of school commissioners to furnish common school text books free of charge to the pupils of their respective schools, and providing for the care and disposition of such books.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 91, for second reading:

House Bill No. 91, being:

A bill for an act concerning the vesting of the title to real property belonging to Congregational churches which are or shall become extinct, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 96, for second reading:

House Bill No. 96, being:

A bill for an act defining the crime of vehicle stealing and providing a penalty therefor.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Houghton offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 96, by inserting the word "unlawfully" after the word "whoever" and before the word "without" in line two (2) of section one (1) of the printed bill.

HOUGHTON.

Mr. Kimmel moved to recommit the bill to the Committee which motion was lost.

The amendment offered by Mr. Houghton was adopted and the bill was passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 108, for second reading.

House Bill No. 108, being:

A bill for an act concerning the drainage of Swamp Land belonging to the State of Indiana, providing for payment therefor, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down for second reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 7, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning the Lake Superior Court, and declaring an emergency" approved February 22, 1911, and providing for a clerk of said court and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 171, for second reading.

House Bill No. 171, being:

A bill for an act relative to payment of deposits in two names.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Cravens Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5 was made a special order for 11:00 o'clock Friday morning, January 26, 1917.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 132, and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned until 2:00 o'clock p. m.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

January 25, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down for second reading House Bill No. 11.

House Bill No. 11, being:

A bill for an act to amend section 255 of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harris offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 11, by inserting in line fifteen (15) following the word "that" the words "if a change is applied for said cause."

HARRIS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Houghton offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 11, by adding after the word "pending" in line thirty-two (32) of the printed bill the following proviso:

Provided that if the party making an application for a change of venue from the county shall allege in his affidavit for such change that it is more convenient and give the reason therefor, to try the cause in some county outside of the Judicial Circuit and the change of venue is granted, the court shall send the cause for trial to some convenient county outside of such circuit.

HOUGHTON.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down Senate Bill No. 132, by Senator Beardsley:

A bill for an act relating to the ventilation and repair of the state capitol at the city of Indianapolis, Indiana, and providing an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 27, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Eickenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenerberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 90.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Henke, Jacoby, Miller of Howard, Tucker, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The bill was declared passed.

Mr. Southard offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the title of House Bill No. 27, be amended so as to read as follows: A bill for an act concerning protection and propagation of trout and providing for the closure of certain waters of the

State for trout breeding grounds and providing penalties.

SOUTHARD.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 65, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 96.

Those voting in the negative were:

Davis of Jay, Houghton. Total 2.

The bill was declared passed.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 65 by adding "and declaring an emergency" after the word prisoner in the fourth (4) line of said title.

FRANK KIMMEL,  
Representative.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 146, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 99.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

Mr. Symons offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 146 by adding to the title, the following words "and declaring an emergency."

LUTHER F. SYMONS,  
Representative.

The title was declared amended.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 92, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Os-

born, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 98.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 78, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren,



Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mont, gomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Bayer, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Downey, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hyland, Kimmel, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Sambor, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick. Total, 28.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Friday morning, January 26, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY MORNING.

January 26, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Clay Trusty, pastor of Seventh Christian Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 97.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Mendenhall. Total, 3.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 196, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of section one (1) after the word "towns" in line twenty

(20), and inserting in lieu thereof the following, to-wit:

That in any town where no election of trustees and other officers was held in November, 1915, the term of the present incumbents shall expire at 12 o'clock noon on the first Monday in January, 1918. That in any town where an election for trustees and other officers was held in November, 1915, said election, and the acts of such trustees and other officers are hereby legalized and made valid. The clerk and treasurer elected on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1917, shall hold their respective offices from the termination of the terms of their respective predecessors until noon the first Monday in January, 1920. In towns having an even number of trustees, one-half of the persons of any such town receiving the highest number of votes for the office of trustee at the regular election held in November, 1917, shall be regarded as elected thereto for a period of four (4) years from the first Monday in January, 1918, and the other half for a period of two (2) years from said day, and in towns having an uneven number of trustees, the majority of the persons of any such town receiving the highest number of votes for the office of trustee at the regular election held in November, 1917, shall serve for four (4) years from the first Monday in January, 1918, and the remainder for a period of two years from said day. Thereafter the term of office of all trustees shall be for four (4) years. Provided, however, that where any town held an election in November, 1915, and certain trustees were considered elected for the term of four (4) years from the first Monday in January, 1916, said trustees shall hold their office for the term for which they were elected, and no election shall be held for their successors in November, 1917. Thereafter the term of all trustees and other officers elected at any regular election shall begin on the

first Monday in January following their election. The board of trustees of every town shall appoint a marshal who shall serve during the pleasure of the board, and whose salary shall be fixed by the board.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

The House concurred in the report.

Mr. McNagney made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move you that the Committee on Judiciary B, to which has been referred House Bill No. 67, be instructed to report said bill to the house at its next session.

McNAGNEY,  
Representative.

Mr. Vesey moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred House Bill No. 231, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

First: By adding in line 39 of section one (1) after the word "situated" the words "whose lands are affected by such proposed lateral, arm or branch."

Second: By adding at the end of said section one (1) after the word "determination" the words "No amendment or change of the present law as effected by this act shall be construed to affect or be applicable to any pending proceeding or proceedings," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on State Soldiers' Home and State Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Homes to which was referred House Bill No. 101 has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: By inserting in line eighteen (18) of section one (1) after the word "trustees" the following: "Provided, further, that in making regulations governing the admission, maintenance and discharge of members of said soldiers' home, it shall be lawful for said Board of Trustees to make it a condition for the admission to said home that all soldiers receiving a pension from the United States exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25) per month, and all widows admitted thereto receiving a pension from the United States exceeding sixteen dollars (\$16) per month shall pay such excess in to a fund to be used by the Board of Trustees in any manner that will add to the comfort and welfare of the members of said institution" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

SCOTT.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Public Libraries to which was referred House Bill No. 147, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of section one (1) of the original bill, in line 9, the words and figures "one hundred (100) taxpayers of the county, the " all of lines ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12), and out of the line thirteen (13) the word "sented", and inserting in place thereof the following "ten (10) resident freeholders of each township in the county not already taxed for library purposes."

By striking out of section four (4) of the the original bill in line twenty-one

(21), the words and figures "by one hundred (100) such resident freeholders with each town " and out of line twenty-two (22), the words "ship having representation thereon" and inserting in place thereof "by ten (10) resident freeholders of each township in the county not already taxed for library purposes."

By striking out of section seven (7) of the original bill, lines thirteen (13), fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) and out of line sixteen (16) the following words "or township supporting said library." and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MASON.

The House concurred in the report.

**Majority report:****MR. SPEAKER:**

A majority of your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 6, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "first Tuesday after the third Monday in May" in lines three (3) and four (4) of page four (4) of the engrossed bill and inserting the following "first Tuesday after the first Monday in March" and by striking out the word "third" in line seven (7) of page four (4) of the engrossed bill and inserting the word "first" and by striking out the word "August" in line seven (7) of page four (4) of the engrossed bill and inserting the word "May" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

DYNES,  
HYLAND,  
ANDERSON,  
WRIGHT,  
MASON,  
MOORE,  
HARKER,  
SOUTHARD.

Minority report:

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 6, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

TURNER,  
HASLANGER,  
• GRUBE,  
BAYER.

The question being, Shall the minority report be substituted for the majority report?

The minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurs in the majority report.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 21, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three hundred and twenty-nine (329) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 17, 1881, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 127, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two hundred and four (204) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses' approved March 10, 1905," approved February 22, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 79, being:

A bill for an act to fix the salary of the quartermaster general.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dilworth offered the following amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 79, by striking out all that part of section one (1) after the word "be" in line three (3) thereof and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)."

DILWORTH.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 4, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act entitled an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the organization and incorporation of loan and trust and safe deposit companies, and defining their powers, rights and duties and other matters connected therewith,' approved March 4, 1893," approved February 28, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

On motion by Mr. Westrick, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5 was made a special order for two o'clock to-day.

House Bill No. 99, being:

A bill for an act concerning an individual, partnership, or unincorporated persons transacting a banking business, as public depositories.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Durham offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 99, by striking out the word "incorporated" in line six (6) of section one (1), of the

bill as printed, and inserting the word "unincorporated" in lieu thereof.

DURHAM.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 133, being:

A bill for an act to amend section 225 of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved Mar. 6, 1905.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 159, being:

A bill for an act relative to the payment of deposits to minors or other persons under disability.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 186, being:

A bill for an act to limit the liability of a bank for non-payment of a check through error.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 192, being:

A bill for an act concerning the consolidation of district schools in two or more townships.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 194, being:

A bill for an act directing the attorney general to investigate discriminations against oil producers and report thereon to the legislature.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 199, being:

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications and tenure of office of all staff

officers including officers of the pay, inspection, subsistence and medical departments of the Indiana National Guard, hereafter appointed, repealing conflicting laws and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 202, being:

A bill for an act to legalize certain drainage bonds and all proceedings under which the same were issued, saving pending litigation, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 125, being:

A bill for an act permitting incorporated towns to assume indebtedness of its school town, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a committee of the House to be known as "Committee on State Parks" be now created, such committee to consist of not less than nine (9) nor more than thirteen (13) members, in the discretion of the Speaker.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 247, by Mr. Walker.

A bill for an act concerning cemeteries, and declaring that persons who have acted as an association in certain cases a cemetery association, and validating the doings of persons who have acted as

such association in matters pertaining to such cemetery, and validating all gifts, bequests, devises and conveyances for the benefit of such cemeteries, and conferring on such cemetery associations certain rights, powers and duties."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 248, by Mr. Vesey.

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the filing and recording of trade-marks, labels, brands, stamps and wrappers, defining their use, granting remedies for their wrongful use, and providing a penalty for counterfeiting or imitating trade-marks, labels, brands, stamps and wrappers, and for having in possession, or for selling or offering for sale goods, wares, merchandise or other articles upon which is placed a false or forged trade-mark, label, brand, stamp or wrapper in likeness of a registered trade-mark, label, brand, stamp or wrapper, approved March 6, 1891."

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 249, by Mr. Vesey.

A bill for an act concerning the department of public parks in all cities of the first and second class as defined by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto; conferring additional powers upon all such departments of public parks; authorizing the creation of park districts; authorizing and empowering such departments to acquire land for and improve parks, parkways, park boulevards and boulevards of said city and district and to assess the cost thereof upon all property within said city or district; authorizing the issuing of bonds

to defray the cost thereof and the levying of a tax to meet such bonds, such powers herein granted being in addition to all other powers now conferred upon such departments of public parks by said acts and any and all other laws.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 250, by Mr. Behmer:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), and six (6) and the title of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913, providing for the establishment of a railroad commission and a public utilities commission and fixing their powers and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Behmer and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

#### JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

A joint resolution amending section two (2), article two (II), of the Constitution of the State of Indiana.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, that the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Indiana is hereby proposed and agreed to by this, the seventieth (70th) General Assembly of the State of Indiana and referred to the next General Assembly for consideration and agreement.

Section 2. That section two (2), article two (II), of the Constitution of

the State of Indiana, be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. In all elections hereafter held in the State of Indiana, every citizen of the United States, of the age of twenty-one years and upward, who shall have resided in the State during the six months, and in the township sixty days, and in the ward or precinct thirty days, immediately preceding such election, and every citizen of foreign birth of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, who shall have resided in the United States one year, in the State of Indiana, during the six months, in the township sixty days, and in the ward or precinct thirty days, immediately preceding such election, and who shall have declared, his, or her, intention to become a citizen of the United States, conformably to the laws of the United States on the subject of naturalization, shall be entitled to vote in the township or precinct, where he, or she, may reside, if he, or she, shall have been duly registered according to law.

House Bill No. 251, by Miltenberger:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the election of school trustees in cities and incorporated towns, prescribing their terms of office and their powers and duties in relation thereto, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith' approved March 6, 1905," approved February 27, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 252, by Mason:

A bill for an act concerning the compensation of judges of circuit courts where circuits are composed of two (2) or three (3) counties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 253, by Mendenhall:

A bill for an act to legalize repair of gravel road proceedings in certain cases and the indebtedness or outstanding claims created against the gravel road repair funds in any such cases, and providing a method of payment of the same.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 254, by Mendenhall:

A bill for an act concerning the regulation of traffic on the public highways.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 255, by Mr. Davis of Jay:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the discontinuance of public schools, providing for the transportation of pupils as necessitated thereby and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith,' approved March 11, 1907," approved February 27, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 256, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration, numbering and regulation of the same, defining chauffeurs and providing for the examination and licensing thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 257, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act concerning voluntary associations.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Parks.

House Bill No. 258, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act concerning eminent domain; granting the right to associations, corporations, towns, cities, townships, counties, the State of Indiana, and the United States of America to condemn lands or other property or rights for public parks, prescribing a mode of procedure and permitting the transfer of any such lands or property for such use.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Parks.

House Bill No. 259, by Mr. Swain:

A bill for an act creating a department of banking and insurance, and transferring certain powers thereto.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 260, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act requiring steam and interurban railroad companies to supply sanitary drinking cups free of charge to passengers.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 261, by Hyland:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections, 177, 178 and 180 of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved Mar. 6, 1905, adding a supplementary section concerning the police pension fund, repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency," approved February 14, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 262, by Jacoby:

A bill for an act making unlawful to write, print, stamp, circulate or publish anonymous communications in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 263, by Kessler:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) and section three (3) of an act entitled "An act regulating the transfer of dependent children in orphans' homes and other custodial institutions for dependent children from one school corporation to another, providing for their education, authorizing appeals, the settlement of disputed claims, and declaring an emergency," approved February 6, 1903.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 264, by Elmer Johnson:

A bill for an act to authorize the Auditor of State to execute deeds, in certain cases, for lands heretofore sold by the trustees of the Wabash & Erie Canal to purchasers thereof or their grantees, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 265, by Durham:

A bill for an act providing for the consolidation of school in incorporated towns or cities of the fifth class with the schools of the township in which such town or city is situated, providing for the management, control and maintenance thereof, and providing for the repair of old school buildings and the building of new ones, and for the issuance of bonds in payment thereof, and declaring an emergency.



Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 266, by Wright of Randolph:

A bill for an act in regard to official weighmasters for weighing farm, mine and manufactured products in counties, cities, towns and townships.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Townships.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Jinnett and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

#### JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section one (1) of article ten (X) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana exempting from taxation the property of all soldiers and sailors who served in either the Mexican or Civil wars, and the property of the widows of all such soldiers and sailors who were married prior to 1870.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, that the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Indiana is hereby proposed and agreed to by this, the seventieth (70th) General Assembly of the State of Indiana, and is hereby referred to the seventy-first (71st) General Assembly of the State of Indiana for their consideration and agreement: That section one (1) of article ten (X) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana be amended to read as follows: Section 1. The General Assembly shall provide, by law, for a uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation; and shall prescribe such regulations as shall secure a just valuation for taxation of all property, both real and personal, excepting such only for municipal, educational, literary, scien-

tific, religious or charitable purposes, as may be specially exempted by law.

The General Assembly may also exempt from taxation the property of soldiers and sailors who served either in the Mexican or Civil wars and the widows of such sailors and soldiers when the marriage shall have been consummated prior to 1870, in any amount not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

House Bill No. 267, by Kimmel:

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred and forty-seven (247) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 268, by H. A. Miller:

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of the Vicksburg national memorial reunion commission, authorizing such commission to perfect arrangements for and defray the expenses of surviving participants in the siege of Vicksburg who attend the national memorial reunion of October 16-19, 1917, and making an appropriation to defray the expenses incurred.

Which was read a first time and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 269, by Read (request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of "An act relating to the establishment and maintenance of county hospitals for the care of persons afflicted with tuberculosis; providing for the maintenance thereof, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 10, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 270, by Read (request):

A bill for an act for the prevention and control of tuberculosis in the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 271, by Williams:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of "An act providing for the forfeiture and repayment of moneys raised by taxation for the purpose of donation to railroad companies, and for the paying for stock subscribed for in railroad companies by counties and townships, pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled 'An act to authorize aid to the construction of railroads by counties and townships, taking stock in, and making donations to railroad companies,' approved May 12, 1869, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto," the same being section 5483 of Burns' Revised Statutes, Revision of 1914, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 272, by Williams:

A bill for an act concerning public highways.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 273, by Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act concerning the health and safety of persons engaged in operating locomotive engines.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 274, by Harker:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled

"An act concerning the cleaning, clearing drifts and obstructions from and keeping open the channels of small streams of water not navigable and not exceeding seventy-five feet between the banks thereof, which flow through or between the lands owned by different persons within the State of Indiana, conferring powers and imposing duties upon county surveyors in the matter of having such work done, providing for liens and the payment for such work, prescribing penalties for its violation, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith," approved February 27, 1903.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rivers and Waters.

House Bill No. 275, by Harker:

A bill for an act to amend sections four (4), sixteen (16) and seventeen (17) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of all ditches and drains, except dredge ditches, by the several township trustees," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 276, by Mosier:

A bill for an act concerning public markets at county seats.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 277, by Mosier:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to better regulate the sale of intoxicating, spirituous, vinous and malt liquors, providing penalties for violation thereof, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 16, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

Mr. McGonagle submitted the following report of the Committee on Joint Rules:

#### JOINT RULES FOR CONDUCTING BUSINESS IN THE TWO HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF INDIANA.

1. While bills and joint resolutions are on their passage between the two houses, they shall be on paper, under the signature of their clerks respectively.

2. After a bill or joint resolution shall have passed both houses it shall be duly enrolled on paper, and the clerk of the house where it originated shall certify over his signature upon the back thereof the House in which it originated, the dates upon which it passed the House and Senate respectively, and the number of votes cast for and against it in each house.

3. Every bill or joint resolution, after having been enrolled, shall be examined by the Committee on Enrolled Bills of the House in which it originated, who shall compare the enrolled copy with the engrossed copy, or cause the author thereof to do so, taking special care that the engrossed amendments adopted by either house, if any there be, shall have been properly incorporated in said enrolled copy, and shall report in writing to said house the correctness or incorrectness thereof.

4. Every bill or joint resolution reported to have been duly enrolled, shall be signed first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, who shall send to the Senate; then by the President of the Senate; after which it shall be presented by the Secretary of the Senate to the Governor for his signature.

5. All bills and joint resolutions shall

be signed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate, in their houses respectively when in session, which shall be carefully noted on the journals of each house.

6. When any paper or papers, proper to be acted upon by both houses, shall come before either, the house before which such paper or papers are laid, shall, after acting thereupon, lay it or them before the other house.

7. In every case of an amendment of a bill agreed to in one house, and dissented to in the other, if either house shall request a conference, and appoint a committee for that purpose, and the other house shall also appoint a committee to confer, such committee shall at a convenient hour, to be agreed upon by their chairman, meet in the conference chamber and state to each other verbally or in writing, as either shall choose, the reason of their respective houses for and against the amendment, and confer freely thereon, and report to each house their proceedings thereon. A committee of conference shall consist of two members from each house. After each house shall have adhered to its disagreement, a bill or resolution shall be lost.

8. In all cases where the doorkeeper of one house shall, by reason of official engagements, or other causes, be unable to execute the commands or process of the house of which he is an officer, it shall be the duty of the doorkeeper of the other house to execute such commands, together with such process as may be directed to him by the presiding officer thereof.

9. The following joint standing committees shall be appointed: Committee on Enrolled Bills, to consist of three (3) Senators and nine (9) Representatives; Committee on State Library, to consist of three (3) Senators and three (3) Representatives; Committee on Joint Rules to consist of three (3) Senators, three (3)

Representatives, the President of the the Senate and the Speaker of the House.

10. All elections of officers to be elected by the General Assembly, shall be elected on joint ballot of the two houses, convened for that purpose, at such time and place as shall be agreed to by both houses, and a majority of all the members elected to both houses shall be necessary to an election. Joint convention shall be held in the hall of the House of Representatives, and shall be presided over by the President of the Senate.

11. In all joint conventions and meetings of the two houses, it shall be incompetent for either house, or the members thereof, or the joint convention, to engage in the transaction of any business other than that for which they were assembled.

12. When a message is sent to the Senate or to the House of Representatives it shall be announced at the door by the doorkeeper, and it shall be respectfully communicated to the chair, by the person by whom sent.

13. Messages shall be sent by such persons as the President of the Senate, or Speaker of the House, may designate for that purpose.

14. When bills which shall have passed one house are ordered to be printed in the other, a greater number of copies shall not be printed than may be necessary for the use of the house making the order.

15. No spirituous liquors shall be offered for sale or exhibited within the Capitol, or on the public grounds adjacent thereto.

16. That when the Governor has informed either branch of the General Assembly that he has signed a bill or joint resolution, or taken any other action affecting both branches of the General Assembly, the branch to which his action is reported shall inform the

other branch of the Assembly of the Governor's report.

17. Any amendments to these rules shall be referred to the Committee on Joint Rules.

McCONAHA,  
McCRAY,  
CULBERTSON,  
BUSH,  
McCLASKEY,  
McGONAGLE,  
DURHAM.

On motion of Mr. Vesey, the report was adopted by the House.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

January 26, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the Chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5 by Senator Jackson, for second reading.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5, being:

A bill for an act concerning the construction and maintenance of highways connecting county seats with the nearest railroad station in certain cases.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Cravens offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5:

By striking out of section one (1) line nine (9) of the original bill the words "nineteen thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "eight thousand," and change the figures in the parenthesis to correspond therewith.

And by striking out of said section one (1) of the original bill line twelve (12) the words "eight million dollars" and substituting in lieu thereof the words "two million dollars" and by striking out all of that portion of section one of said original bill after the word "route" line twenty-one (21) of original bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following: Upon a public highway now located and established, provided such railway station shall be within the county and not more than six (6) miles distant from such public square. Such public highway, already in existence, shall be resurfaced with concrete, brick, or some other suitable material making a hard, glazed and durable surface for said highway, as shall be specified in the petition and shall be not less than sixteen (16) feet wide.

And by striking out of said section one (1) line twenty-three (23) of original bill the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

CRAVENS.

Which amendments were adopted and the bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 94, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty-four (34) of an act for the relief of the poor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, approved March 9, 1901," approved March 9, 1907.

The bill was read a second time.

The following motion was offered by Alldredge:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 94 by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following: That whenever any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who may have at any time served as a regular or volunteer soldier, sailor or marine in the army or navy of the United States, or the wife, or widow of any such soldier, sailor, or marine, resident of any county of this state, other than the inmates of the Indiana state soldiers' home or the national military home in Grant county, shall die, upon claim filed by any interested person with the board of commissioners of the county, stating the fact of such service, death and discharge, and that the body has been buried in a decent and respectable manner in a cemetery or burial ground in this state, such board of commissioners shall investigate, hear and determine such claim like other claims, filed for allowance by them, and if, the facts averred are found to be true, such board shall consider, also, the tribute of respect due to such soldier, sailor or marine and make allowance of such claim in a sum not exceeding seventy-five dollars (\$75) for service rendered and material furnished in care of such body for such burial; and be it further provided, that in case of such death and burial, it is averred in such claim and proven that from actual necessity a burial place not to exceed the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for the body of such soldier, sailor or marine, or the body of the wife, or widow of such soldier, sailor or marine was purchased in the most accessible cemetery, such board shall make further reasonable allowances in payment for such burial place, and such allowance in either or both cases shall be paid from the funds of such county, as now provided by law.

ALLDREDGE.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger the bill and amendment was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 91, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 89.

Those voting in the negative were:  
Messrs. Bayer, Day, Eisterhold.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 171 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 87.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Downey. Total 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 96 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Downey, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, O'Leary, Wood. Total 11.

The bill was declared passed.

On motion of Mr. Kimmel the following amendment was adopted:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 96, by striking out the word "stealing" after the word "vehicle" of the first line of said title and by substituting the word "taking" therefor.

KIMMEL.

The title was declared amended.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 108 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Total 82.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Curry, Eisterhold, Harker, Hoffman, Jinnett, McGonagle, Miller of Howard, Myers, Robertson, Tucker, Waltz, Mr. Speaker. Total 13.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 26, 36 and 57, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 36, by Senator Metzger.

A bill for an act for the relief of Herman E. Martin, Cass County, Indiana, to authorize and direct the Governor to issue to him a patent for certain real estate and relinquishing the claims of the State of Indiana to said real estate, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 57, by Senator Lanz:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the reimbursement of school townships where school property belonging thereto has been or shall hereafter be annexed to any city or incorporated town, and declaring an emergency, approved March 3, 1899,' and declaring an emergency," approved February 28, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 26, by Senator Thornton, for second reading:

A bill for an act prohibiting chairman of political parties from practicing before certain boards.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House adjourn to meet Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

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SATURDAY MORNING.

January 27, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Charles A. Johnson, of Gas City, Grant County, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and



Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 98.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Gorski, Westfall. Total 2.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Friday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miles, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the standing committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 49, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

On motion of Mr. Bonham, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary A.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 169, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "or judge thereof" in line seven (7), section one (1) and by striking out the words "or

judge" first appearing in line eight (8) section one (1) and by striking out the words "or judge" next appearing in said line eight (8) section one (1) and by adding after the word warrants in line nine (9) section one (1) the following, to-wit: and that the township or school township receive such consideration, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 217, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 203, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 225, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

McGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Engrossed Senate

Bill No. 132, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 48, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 241, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

The following motion was offered by Mr. Vesey:

MR. SPEAKER:

House Bill No. 226 is hereby referred to yourself with the request that it be submitted to Judiciary A.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 11, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 20, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 65, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 195, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 170, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 259, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to

the House with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 117, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads to which was referred House Bill No. 253, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That the words "with interest at the legal rate" in line fifteen (15) of section two (2) be stricken out and insert in lieu thereof the words "without interest," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Md-Public Health, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 204, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

READ.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, Health, etc., to which was referred

House bill No. 179, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

READ.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Med.-Public Health, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 151, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

READ.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Counties and Townships, to which was referred House Bill No. 167, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 278, by Mr. Wright of Clay:

A bill for an act providing for changes of venue from the mayor of cities of the fifth class, in civil and criminal actions pending in such court, providing for the appointment of special judges in such cases, and for the compensation of such special judges; also of matters properly connected therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 279, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act providing for a permanent public record of farm tile drainage.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 280, by Mr. Harmon (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage," approved March 11, 1907, the same being section 6,144 of Burns' Revised Statutes of 1914.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 281, by Mr. Myers:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning public cemeteries, providing for the management and care of same; providing the manner in which a trust fund for same may be created; and prescribing certain penalties," approved March 9, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 282, by Mr. Myers:

A bill for an act concerning the prevention, treatment and control of infectious or communicable diseases among swine, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 283, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act

concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 284, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act requiring county commissioners to have on file in auditor's office plans and specifications before letting contracts for the building of court houses, jails, county or township buildings, bridges and monuments; providing for the use of such plans and specifications; providing for inspection of the work undertaken subject to such plans and specifications, requiring advertising and posting notices; contract to be let to lowest responsible bidder, and requiring bond; requiring affidavits of non-collusion to be filed by bidders, to accompany their bids for building or repairing of any court house, jail, poor asylum, bridge or other county building or work or supplies; giving laborers and material men right of action against contractors and bondsmen; providing how county property may be sold by commissioners, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved March 12, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township.

House Bill No. 285, by Mr. Day (by request):

A bill for an act concerning fishing and hunting on Sunday, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 286, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act to establish a state board of building inspection.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 287, by Mr. Southard (by request):

A bill for an act fixing the salaries of the several county auditors of the State of Indiana, of counties containing not less than forty-five thousand (45,000) and not more than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants, as shown by the last preceding United States census.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 288, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 289, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act concerning the nomination and election of representatives to the general assembly in certain counties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Legislative Apportionment.

House Bill No. 290, by Mr. Jameson:

A bill for an act to prevent trespassing upon railroad property, providing penalties for violation thereof and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 291, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act for the relief of Lucinda Snyder of Fulton County, Indiana, to authorize and direct the Governor to issue to her a patent for certain real estate and relinquish the claim of the State of Indiana to said real estate, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 292, by Mr. Curry:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section five (5) of an act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency, approved March 7, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved January 31, 1893.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 293, by Mr. Read:

A bill for an act to enable counties to establish and maintain public hospitals, levy a tax and issue bonds therefor; elect hospital trustees, maintain training schools for nurses, provide suitable means for the care of tubercular persons and make possible the ultimate establishment of an adequate supply of hospitals with equal rights to all and special privileges to none.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township.

House Bill No. 294, by Mr. Read:

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act requiring any corporation, lessee or

assignee or receiver or other person or corporation owning, controlling or operating, or that may hereafter construct, build, run, control, or operate any interurban railroad, traction line, or suburban railway within the State of Indiana, using electricity for a motive power, either by overhead trolley system, storage battery, or third rail system, or otherwise, to fence their right of way and railroad track and to construct barriers and cattle guards at certain public road and highway crossings and maintain and keep the same in repair, and prescribing remedies and penalties for failing to do so, and providing for the construction of farm crossings and for gates at such crossings, and prescribing remedies and methods by which such farm crossings may be constructed and penalties for failing to do so, and declaring an emergency," approved March 10, 1903.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 295, by Mr. O'Leary:

A bill for an act to enable and facilitate the return to a city of money expended from its general fund for township road bonds, and directing and authorizing the surrender and payment of township bonds issued and sold to a city for the purpose of paying the expenses of the improvement of any public highway ordered by the board of commissioners in cases where such city has expended out of the general fund of such city the money used in purchasing such bonds, and a tax assessment has been levied for the purpose of paying such bonds and such tax has been collected in whole or part and the fund derived therefrom is in the hands of the county treasurer of the county wherein such highway or highways have been ordered improved and the construction of such improvement and further proceeding therefor

have been enjoined by any court of competent jurisdiction, and matters relating thereto, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 296, by Mr. Bartel:

A bill for an act to amend section seventy-six (76) of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents; to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employes; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employes in the course of employment; to provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 297, by Mr. Bartel:

A bill for an act authorizing common councils and town boards to compensate families of policemen and firemen killed or injured while in the discharge of their duty.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 298, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2), five (5), six (6), eight (8), eighteen (18) and nineteen (19), of an act entitled, "An act to establish the

office of state fire marshal, defining his powers and duties, providing for his compensation and the maintenance of his office, providing a tax on the net premiums of each fire insurance company doing business in Indiana, to create a fire marshal fund, providing penalties and declaring an emergency," approved March 12, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House express its appreciation of the presence of its distinguished guest, the Honorable Charles W. Fairbanks, and that he be requested to address the House at this time.

McGONAGLE.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Fairbanks delivered a short address.

Mr. Moore offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption: That the custodian of the State House be instructed to open and ventilate all committee rooms during the time between the adjournment to-day and the convening of the House next Monday.

MOORE.

Which motion prevailed.

Bills on second reading.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 72 for second reading.

House Bill No. 72, being:

A bill for an act to prohibit the parking of motor cars and other vehicles

around the monument circle in the city of Indianapolis.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Scott offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 72 by adding a new section to be numbered section three (3) which shall read as follows:

Section 3. Whereas an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

SCOTT.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 100, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-three (23) and to repeal section six and one-half (6½) and to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of a railroad commission, the appointment and compensation of the members thereof, prescribing the powers and duties of such commission and its members, prescribing certain duties and obligations of railroad companies, express companies and other common carriers, defining certain misdemeanors and prescribing penalties, providing for the collection of penalties by civil action from railroad companies and other common carriers by the state in cases therein provided for, appropriating

money to carry out its provisions, providing for a review of the decisions of the commission and conferring jurisdiction on certain courts to hear and determine such proceedings, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, approved March 9, 1907, and declaring an emergency, approved March 15, 1913.' "

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 120, being:

A bill for an act to provide a method of voting at general, special and primary elections by qualified electors who by reason of illness, the nature of their business or other cause are unavoidably absent from the polls or the county of their residence on election day.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 131, being:

A bill for an act to regulate the taking of fish in the waters of this state.

The bill was read a second time.

The following amendment was offered by Mr. Houghton:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 131 by inserting after the word "ponds" in line seven (7) of the printed bill, the following: "And except also that fish may be taken by trout lines from the rivers of this state, as now provided by law."

Which amendment was adopted and the bill ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 144, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act entitled an act providing a bounty for killing common crows, and destroying and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1911.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 148, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, "An act to amend section five and one-half (5½) of an act entitled an act concerning drainage approved March 11, 1907," approved March 8, 1909.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 153, being:

A bill for an act fixing the liability of a bank to its depositor for payment of forged or raised checks.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 158, being:

A bill for an act concerning notaries public who are stockholders, directors, officers, or employes of banks or other corporations.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 168, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the sale by weight of certain commodities and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Miltenberger offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 168 be amended as follows:

By striking out of section three (3), line three (3), the following words: "section one (1) of."

MILTENBERGER.

The amendment was adopted and the bill ordered engrossed.



House Bill No. 164, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act regulating the issuance of license to marry, and prohibiting the issuance of such license to certain persons, prescribing the duties of the clerk of the circuit court, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act," approved April 15, 1905.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 4 by Senator Hemphill which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 85.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Jinnett. Total 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 127 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Habermel, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, January 29th, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON.

January 29, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Joseph C. Swift, Pastor of the Roberts Park Methodist Church, Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker,

Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 96.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Bayer, Grube, Haslanger, Jacoby. Total, 4.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Saturday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Harker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption: That the Chief Doorkeeper be and is hereby instructed to prohibit anyone other than the Chief Clerk or some one under his direction from placing literature of any kind or nature whatsoever on the desks of members.

MILLER of Howard.

Which resolution was adopted.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the standing committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 215, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding after the word "of" at the end of line two (2), section two (2), the words "not to exceed:" and by striking out the words and figures "five (\$5.00) dollars," in line three (3), section two (2), and substituting in

lieu thereof the words and figures "four dollars (\$4.00)," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred House Bill No. 213, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

WOOD,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 201, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 165, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 256, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "felony" in line twenty-one (21), section twenty (20), and substituting in lieu thereof the word "misdemeanor", and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 238, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 166, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 86, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the licensing of architects and regulating the practice of architecture.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 69, being:

A bill for an act concerning dwellings or places of residence unfit for human habitation or dangerous or detrimental to life and health and providing penalties.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 101, being:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning admission to the Indiana State soldiers' home," approved March 2, 1911," approved February 28, 1913," approved March 10, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House bill No. 231, being:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 155, being:

A bill for an act to prohibit the practice of palmistry, clairvoyancy, astrology or fortune telling by cards or other devices for money or gain, and to provide a penalty for violation of the provisions of this act.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 155:

1st. By inserting after the word "punishable" in line seven (7), section one (1), the words "for each offense, on conviction thereof."

2nd. By adding at the end of section one (1) after the word "court" in line ten (10) the words "and each day in which any such person shall hold any seance, give any reading by any of the

means or methods above mentioned, or make any attempt to predict any future event by such means, shall constitute a separate offense."

DYNES.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 97, being:

An act to amend section five (5) and six (6) of an act entitled "An act defining petty money lenders and licensing and regulating the business of making small loans, providing penalties for the violation thereof, repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 10, 1913, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Woods offered the following amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend section one (1) of House Bill No. 97 by striking out the word "one" in line twelve (12), by striking out all of lines thirteen (13), fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) and by striking out all of line sixteen (16) up to and including the word "exceed."

WOODS.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend section two (2) of House Bill No. 97 by inserting the following:

After the word "goods" in line eleven the words "or other instrument."

After the word "mortgage" in line twelve (12) the words "or other instrument."

After the word "mortgage" in line thirteen (13) the words "or other instrument."

After the word "mortgagor" in line fourteen (14) the words "or borrower."

After the word "mortgagor" in line fifteen (15) the words "or borrower."

After the word "mortgagor" in line sixteen (16) the words "or borrower."

Before the word "mortgagee" in line seventeen (17) the words "holder or."

After the word "mortgage" in line eighteen (18) the words "or other instrument."

After the word "mortgagor" in line nineteen (19) the words "or borrower."

After the word "the" in line twenty (20) the words "holder or."

After the word "mortgagor" in line twenty-six (26) the words "or borrower."

After the word "mortgage" in line twenty-six (26) the words "or other instrument."

Which amendments were adopted and the bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 147, being:

A bill for an act providing for county libraries and for the extension of library privileges to counties.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. McNagny offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 147 by adding after the word "purposes" in line thirteen (13) of section one (1) of the printed bill the words "shall establish such library and levy such tax;" by striking out the words and figures "one hundred (100) resident freeholders of such county" in line nine (9), section four (4), of the printed bill and substituting the words and figures "ten (10) resident freeholders of each township in the county," and by striking out of section four (4) of the printed bill in line seventeen (17) the word "provided", all of lines eighteen (18), nineteen (19), nineteen one-half

(19½), twenty (20) and in line twenty-one (21) the words "ready taxed for library purposes."

McNAGNY.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 196, being:

A bill for an act to amend section fourteen (14) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an act entitled 'an act to amend sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), and twenty-three (23) of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved March 6, 1905," and section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' and conferring certain powers and duties on the railroad commission of Indiana, and providing penalties and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, approved March 1, 1907,' approved March 8, 1909," approved February 27, 1911.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 172, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "crime" at the beginning of line three (3) of section one (1) of the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "felony."

By striking out the word "penitentiary" in line four (4) of section two (2) thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the word "prison."

By striking out the words and figures "twenty-five (25)" in lines four (4) and

five (5) of section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures "ten (10)".

By striking out the words and figures "forty (40)" in line five (5) of section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures "twenty (20)" and

By striking out section three (3) of the bill, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 6 by Senator Kinder was read a second time, being:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved March 8, 1915, and providing for an emergency.

Mr. Johnson offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend section one (1) of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 6 by inserting in line eighteen (18) between the words "year" and "in", the words: "after the year of 1917."

JOHNSON.

Mr. Anderson moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion was lost.

The House adopted the amendment and the bill passed to engrossment.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has

passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 30, and Engrossed House Bill No. 88, as amended, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Bills on third reading:

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 199, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaguy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesberg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 92.

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The following motion was made by Mr. Miltenberger:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that hereafter in the distribution of printed House Bills that but one person have charge of the distribution of each bill.

MILTENBERGER.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Senate Bill No. 5, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cravens made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 5 be referred to a committee of one, chairman of the Committee on Roads, to amend as follows:

1st. Strike out the words, and figures, "eight thousand (8000)" in line nine of the amended Engrossed Senate Bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words and figures, to-wit: "nineteen thousand (19,000)."

2nd. Strike out the words and figures, "two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00)" in line twelve (12) of the amended Engrossed Senate Bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words and figures, to-wit: "eight million dollars (\$8,000,000.00)"

Cravens.

Which motion was adopted and the bill was recommitted to the committee of one, chairman of the Committee on Roads, who submitted the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee of one to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill

No. 5 with specific instructions to amend, reports that said bill has been amended as follows:

1st. Strike out the words, and figures, "eight thousand (8000)" in line nine (9) of the amended Engrossed Senate Bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words and figures, to-wit: "nineteen thousand (19,000)."

2nd. Strike out the words and figures, "two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00)" in line twelve (12) of the amended Engrossed Senate Bill and insert in lieu thereof the following words and figures, to-wit: "eight million dollars (\$8,000,000.00)."

Mendenhall.

Which report was concurred in by the House.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hesong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 94.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 21 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cooper offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 21 be referred to the committee of one, its author with instructions to amend as follows:

Strike out the figure one (1) after the word April and before the figure seven (7) in line four (4) of the printed bill.

COOPER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cooper submitted the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 21, with specific instructions to amend reports that it has amended said House Bill as follows:

By striking out the figure one (1) after the word April and before the figure seven (7) in line four (4) of the printed bill.

COOPER.

Which report was adopted by the House.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Heppler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 93.

Nothing in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Motion by Mr. Cooper:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title to Engrossed House Bill No. 21 by striking out the figure one (1) after the word April and before the figure seven (7) in the third line of said title of said bill.

COOPER.

The title was declared amended.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.



The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 40 which was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wood, Wright, of Clay, Yoder. Total 86.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Duffey, Miller of Howard, Williams, Winesburg and Mr. Speaker. Total 6.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 76 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 88.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Grube. Total 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 99 which was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, and Warren, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Jinnett, Miltenberger and Mr. Speaker. Total 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 79 which was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total 91.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 133, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore,

Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Sipe, Woods and Mr. Speaker.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 125 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey,

Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 94.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Houghton offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 125, by inserting after the word "town" in the second (2nd) line of the title, the words: "providing for the payment of such indebtedness."

HOUGHTON.

The title was declared amended.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 158, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bartel, Blackmore, Bonham, Cooper, Davis of Lake, Douglas, Durham, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harris, Henke, Hoffman, Hougham, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Mushett, Osborn, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Westfall, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total 36.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, McClaskey, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Sipe, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 55.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 144 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Baker, Bartel, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Lake, Douglas, Duffey, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke,

Henke, Hougham, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Westfall, Westrick. Total 41.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Harker, Harmon, Hessong, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Moore, O'Leary, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 49.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 153, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of

Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Sambor, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total 68.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Clapp, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dynes, Geddes, Grube, Hougham, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, Miller of Howard, Mosier, Myers, Read, Robertson, Scott, Turner, Williams, Woods, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total 22.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 164 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Vesey, Walker,

Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Yoder. Total 59.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Clapp, Cronin, Curry, Day, Duffey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gentry, Griffin, Henke, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Myers, Osborn, Read, Sipe, Southard, Turner, Waltz, Westfall, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total 25.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 88, together with Engrossed Senate Amendments.

On motion of Mr. Harmon, the House concurred in the Senate Amendment.

The Clerk was ordered to notify the Senate that the House had concurred in the Engrossed Senate Amendment.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 30 was handed down and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, January 30, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY MORNING.

January 30, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. John J. Fred, Pastor of the M. E. Church at Fairmount, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaaki and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 98.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Axby, Ryan. Total 2.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Monday p. m. to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miles, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the standing committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 222,

has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 263, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

After the word "fund" in line four (4), section one (1), insert the following: "or out of the township fund or out of the tuition fund at the direction of the trustee of the township, board of school commissioners of the school corporation" and striking out in line five (5), section one (1) the words "of said corporation" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 207, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 234, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

## A majority report:

MR. SPEAKER.

A majority of your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 260, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DAVIS of Lake.  
 SYMONS,  
 HABERMEL,  
 BEHMER,  
 GENTRY,  
 WOODS,  
 YODER.

## A minority report:

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Railroads to which was referred House Bill No. 260, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DURHAM.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report.

The question was carried and the minority report was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred House Bill No. 280, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 273, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding thereto an additional section to be numbered section five (5) to read as follows:

Section 5. This act shall take effect on the first day of January, 1919. And when so amended that said bill do pass.

BEHMER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 39, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out the words "county attorney" in line four (4) of section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "attorney employed by the board of commissioners of any county in this state."

By striking out the words "county attorney or such person" in line six (6) of said section, and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "attorney."

By adding after the word "whatsoever" in line ten (10) of said section the words "during the time of said employment."

By inserting the word "said" before the word "board" in line seven (7) of said section.

2. By striking out the word "less" in line four (4) of section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "more."

By striking out the words "nor more

than two" in line five (5) of said section and all of line six (6).

3. By adding to said bill an additional section numbered section three (3) as follows:

This act shall not apply to any proceedings pending before the boards of commissioners of any county in this state at the time this act takes effect, and that said bill as so amended do pass.

MILLER,  
McNAGNY,  
DAVIS,  
KIMMEL,  
HOUGHTON,  
JINNETT.  
YODER,  
DOWNEY,  
WOOD,  
BONHAM,  
SIPE.

A minority report:

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 39, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

1. By striking out the words "county attorney" in line four (4) of section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "attorney employed by the board of commissioners of any county in this state."

By striking out the words "county attorney or such person" in line six (6) of said section, and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "attorney."

By adding after the word "whatsoever" in line ten (10) of said section the words "during the time of said employment."

By inserting the word "said" before the word "board" in line seven (7) of said section.

2. By striking out the word "less" in line four (4) of section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "more."

By striking out the words "nor more than two" in line five (5) of said section and all of line six (6).

3. By adding to said bill an additional section numbered section three (3) as follows:

This act shall not apply to any proceedings pending before the boards of commissioners of any county in this state at the time when this act will be in effect.

4. By striking out the words "or any member of" in line four (4), section one (1), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report.

The minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 299, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act to amend sections twelve (12) and twenty-one (21) of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana entitled "An act concerning the department of public parks in cities having a population of not less than sixty thousand (60,000) nor more than sixty-eight thousand (68,000) according to the last preceding United States census, defining the powers and duties, conferring certain powers upon the common council and mayor of such cities in relation to said park departments, legalizing appointments of boards of park commissioners in



such cities and acts done by such boards, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency," approved February 27, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 300, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act conferring additional powers upon the board of public works and the board of public parks of cities of the second class as defined by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905 and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, having a population of not less than sixty thousand nor more than sixty-eight thousand according to the last preceding United States census.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and towns.

House Bill No. 301, by Mr. Adams:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections one (1), three (3), four (4), seven (7), and ten (10) of an act entitled an act for the establishment and maintenance of public libraries in cities and incorporated towns, providing for the levy of a tax for the support of the same, providing for the appointment of public library boards, prescribing the duties and powers of the same, and providing for libraries already established to operate under the provisions of this act, making the treasurers of cities and incorporated towns and treasurers of libraries operating under this act, requiring the filing of annual reports by such treasurers repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency, approved March 4, 1901,

repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 9, 1903," approved March 6, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Libraries.

House Bill No. 302 by Mr. Burt (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two (2) of an act to incorporate the trustees of Walnut Ridge cemetery of Jeffersonville, Indiana, approved February 15, 1840," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 303, by Mr. Blackmore:

A bill for an act concerning the organization of mutual companies to issue fire and indemnity insurance upon motor and other vehicles and against any liability resulting from the ownership, maintenance or use thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 304, by Mr. Blackmore:

A bill for an act directing the public service commission to supervise and direct the leasing of certain real estate owned or controlled by railroads and electric interurban railways.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 305, by Mr. Yoder:

A bill for an act prohibiting common drinking cups for wine used in communion service in churches.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 306, by Mr. Harmon:

A bill for an act to legalize certain county and highway bonds and all proceedings under which the same were issued, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 307, by Mr. Johnson of Grant:

A bill for an act creating a state moving picture commission; defining its duties; providing for its maintenance, for the appointment of the commissioners and the fixing of their salaries; for fees to be charged and the disposition of the same; and for penalties for the failure to comply with this act.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Morals.

House Bill No. 308, by Mr. Symons (by request):

A bill for an act prescribing certain duties of county surveyors, defining the qualifications of civil engineers employed by counties in certain instances, providing for the employment of civil engineers by counties, fixing their compensation, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township.

House Bill No. 309, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act to appropriate ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the erection of a suitable memorial to the pioneer mothers of Indiana, and providing for the expenditure of such sum by the Pioneer Mothers Memorial Association of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 310, by Mr. Westfall:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred and ninety-seven (697) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of weights and measures, approved March 9, 1885,' and adding a supplemental section thereto, prescribing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of said section one (1) of this act, and declaring an emergency," approved February 11, 1897.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 311, by Mr. Swain (by request):

A bill for an act concerning teachers' institutes.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 312, by Mr. Montgomery (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the department of public sanitation in cities of the first class, defining its powers and duties, creating sanitary districts consisting of such cities and any incorporated towns located within the boundaries thereof, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 313, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act requiring the licensing of cats.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the Clerk of the House be authorized and directed to have printed 300 copies of the Rules and Joint Rules of the House.

McGONAGLE.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 314, by Mr. Hyland:

A bill for an act fixing the time for the election of certain probate, juvenile, criminal and superior court judges in the State of Indiana, fixing their terms of office and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 315, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act concerning the repair of open drains.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 316, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act concerning the repair of tile drains.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 317, by Mr. Miles (by request):

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 467 of 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905, and repealing so much of section 468 of said act as is in conflict with this act," which act to amend section 467 of the act concerning public offenses became a law March 8, 1909, without the governor's signature.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 318, by Mr. Durham:

A bill for an act to amend the title and section one (1) of an act authorizing the unemployed inmates of the Indiana Reformatory, the Indiana state prison to be worked upon the public highways of the state under agreements with the managing boards of such institutions, and the boards of commissioners, township trustees and highways boards and commissions, and other matters incident thereto, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," which became a law without the governor's signature, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 319, by Mr. Read (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the cutting and destroying of briars, thistles, burrs, docks, grubs and other noxious weeds by steam, electric or other railroad corporations.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 320, by Mr. Winesburg:

A bill for an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating

a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 321, by Mr. Bartel (by request):

A bill for an act amending section one (1) of "An act giving boards of park commissioners power and authority to permit the use of a reasonable portion of any public park in any city or town for assembly purposes, and regulating matters connected therewith," approved March 3rd, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 322, by Mr. Clapp:

A bill for an act requiring persons who purchase pistols or revolvers to obtain a permit; prohibiting the carrying of certain dangerous and deadly weapons and prohibiting the display of pistols, revolvers and other dangerous and deadly weapons in show windows.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 323, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act concerning the extension of school terms in incorporated towns in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 324, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act declaring eight (8) hours a legal day's work.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 325, by Mr. Harker (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to create a State Charter Board for the purpose of making a careful examination into the financial standing, and character of the organizers and incorporators or partners; also for the public necessity of the business in the community in which it is sought to establish a bank of discount and deposit, savings bank, or loan, trust or safe deposit company, and if the board shall determine either of the questions unfavorably to said applicants, organizers, or partners, it shall refuse said charter, and declaring an emergency" approved March 9, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

Mr. Dynes offered the following resolution:

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section one (1) of article ten (X) of the constitution concerning the exemption of the property of widows from taxation.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That the following proposed amendment to section one (1) of article ten (X) of the constitution of this state is hereby proposed and agreed to by this the seventieth (70th) General Assembly and is hereby referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of 1918. That section one (1) of article ten (X) be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The General Assembly shall provide, by law, for a uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation; and shall prescribe such regulations as shall secure a just valuation for taxation of all property, both real and

personal, excepting such only for municipal, educational, literary, scientific, religious or charitable purposes, as may be specially exempted by law. The General Assembly may likewise exempt from taxation the property of widows and orphans who are in indigent circumstances in any amount not to exceed the sum of five hundred dollars.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 117, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the better protection of travelers on the highway crossings of railroads and street railroads, interurban street railroads or suburban street railroads in this state by separation of the grades thereof, and improvements of such crossings, and granting powers to the railroad commission of Indiana with reference thereto,' approved March 11, 1913," approved March 6, 1915,"

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 151, being:

A bill for an act providing that boards of county commissioners shall furnish tetanus anti-toxin to county health commissioners for public use.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 167, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act providing for the levying of taxes for township funds," approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 169, being:

A bill for an act legalizing certain township warrants defectively issued but issued for a valuable and meritorious consideration, and all proceedings under which the same were issued, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 203, being:

A bill for an act concerning licenses to vend foreign merchandise, maintain ferries, conduct stock and exchange brokerage, exhibit caravans, menageries, circuses, tent-shows, carnivals, rope and wire dancing, legerdemain, theatres, moving picture shows, ventriloquism, puppet-show, concert and wagon shows.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 11, being:

A bill for an act entitled an act declaring void the provisions of a will directing that if any beneficiary thereunder shall take any proceeding to contest the same, or to prevent its admission to probate, or words to that effect, such beneficiary shall take no part of the estate of such testator.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Woods offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend section one (1) of Senate Bill No. eleven (11) by striking out in line two (2) thereof the words "the provisions of any will declaring" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "If in any will admitted to probate in any of the courts of this state, there is a provision or provisions pro-

viding" and to amend line six (6) thereof by inserting after the word "beneficiary" the words "such provision or provisions."

The amendment was adopted.

WM. D. WOODS,  
Representative.

The bill was ordered engrossed with the amendment.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 132 by Senator Beardsley, being:

A bill for an act relating to the ventilation, alteration and repair of the State Capitol at the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and providing an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 20 by Senator McCray, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the release from record of mechanics' liens, liens for materials and laborers' liens upon real estate, when action to enforce same has not been commenced within one year from the time of filing a notice of intention to hold such lien, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 65 by Senator Reidelbach, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act entitled an act concerning liens upon real estate, the foreclosure and operation thereof," approved March 6, 1909.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 168, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Burt, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Grube, Harmon, Houghton, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Lafuze, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Osborn, Robertson, Swain, Tucker, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Wright of Clay. Total, 24.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 186 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bartel, Blackmore, Cooper, Davis of Lake, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Geddes, Harris, Hoffman, Hougham, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Overmyer, Read, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westfall, Wright of Clay. Total, 27.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Groen, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 63.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 72, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Green, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke,

Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson, of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miltenberger, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Scott, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 51.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Behmer, Blackmore, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Houghman, Jameson, Kuhlman, McClaskey, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sipe, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Woods. Total, 41.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 159 which was read a third time in full.

On motion of Mr. Cravens, the enacting clause was stricken out.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 120 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 120 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, to be amended as follows:

That section two (2) be amended by striking out in line four (4) the following words "three (3)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two (2)."

That section five (5) be amended by striking out lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, including the word "applicant" in said line seven (7) and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The clerk of the circuit court of the county in which said applicant is a qualified elector shall on the 15th day prior to the election at which such absent voter's ballot is to be used, but not before said 15th day, mail to all applicants who have executed and filed their application on or before said 15th day," and by adding to said section five (5) the following:

The clerk of the said circuit court shall on each and every day after said 15th day until and including the second day before the election, at which such absent voter's ballot is to be used, but not after said second day, mail to each applicant on the day of the filing of the application an official ballot or ballots in the way and manner the applications were mailed on said fifteenth day.

"In computing the fifteenth day before the election day and the second day before the election day the date of the election shall be excluded and if said fifteenth day or the said election day fall on a legal holiday then the official ballot or ballots shall be mailed as herein provided, the day prior to such holiday."

N. T. MILLER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kessler made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 120, has had same under consideration and begs

leave to report same back to the House with the recommendation that same bill be amended as follows:

That section two (2) be amended by striking out in line four (4), the following words, "three (3)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figure "two (2)."

That section five (5) be amended by striking out lines one, two, three, four, five, six, and seven and including the word "Applicant" in said line seven, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The clerk of the circuit court of the county in which said applicant is a qualified elector, shall on the 15th day prior to the election at which such absent voter's ballot is to be used, but not before said 15th day, mailed to all applicants to have executed and filed their applications on or before said 15th day," and by adding to said section five (5) the following:

"The clerk of the said circuit court shall on each and every day after said 15th day until and including the second day before the election, at which such absent voter's ballot is to be used, but not after said second day, mailed to each applicant on the day of the filing of the application an official ballot or ballots in the way and manner the applications were mailed on said fifteenth day."

"In computing the fifteenth day before the election day and the second day before the election day the date of the election shall be excluded and if said fifteenth day or the said second day fall on a legal holiday then the official ballot or ballots shall be mailed as herein provided, the day prior to such holiday."

KESSLER.

The House concurs in the committee's report.

Mr. Cravens moved to make the bill a special order for Friday at 2:00 p. m.



Mr. Harker moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Osborn, Robertson, Tucker, Walker, Westfall, Total, 26.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock

Wednesday morning, January 31st, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING.

January 31, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Frank E. James, Pastor of the First Christian Church at Wabash, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 96.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Ryan, Wright of Randolph. Total, 4.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 190, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 198, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 209, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 239, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That the word "school" be inserted before the word "cities" and before the word "towns" line 19 of section 1.

That section one and one-half (1½) be added as follows:

That it shall be lawful for the school board of any city which maintains its schools in session on Saturdays in addition to the other days of the week, to pay the wages of the teachers thereof for such Saturdays.

That section two (2) of the bill be stricken out and that the following be inserted in lieu thereof, to-wit:

"Section 2. That an act entitled 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for a general system of common schools, the officers thereof, and their respective powers and duties, and matters properly connected therewith, and prescribing the fees for certain officers therein named, and for the establishment and regulation of township libraries, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, providing penalties therein prescribed," approved March 6, 1865, and adding supplemental sections thereto; approved March 8, 1873, the same being section 4520 of the Revised Statutes of 1881, and declaring an emergency," approved March 2, 1889."

Which act was approved March 9, 1915, be and the same is hereby repealed, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the standing committees called for reports:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 267, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 248, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 230, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 174, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 210, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill

No. 189, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 285, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred McClaskey House Bill No. 173, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in section three (3), line two (2) the figures (\$300) and inserting in lieu thereof the figures (\$100).

By inserting in line six (6), section four (4), after the word "year" the words, "No other clerk hire except as provided for in the section shall be allowed or paid out of the county treasury. And when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 122, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Insert in line five (5), section one (1), after the word "newspaper" the following: "Provided, that such publication if published in a daily newspaper shall be published at least once a week for the same time and period as now required by law, and, provided, further, that if such publication is made only once each week, it shall be made on the same day of each week."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 305, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 224, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DAVIS OF LAKE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 294, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DAVIS OF LAKE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 44, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the words "school houses" in line 13, thereof;

By striking out the word "fire" in line 27 and inserting the word "farm" in lieu thereof;

And by striking out the word "fire" in line thirty-four (34) and inserting the word "farm" in lieu thereof.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

WILLIAM D. WOODS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 104, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 104 be recommitted to your Committee on Cities and Towns for further consideration.

MILLER of Howard.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 297, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the

recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word towns in line three (3) of section one (1) the words "at their option."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 278, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns to which was referred House Bill No. 251, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 45, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 23, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report

the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on County and Township Business.

McGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 128, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "immoral conduct" at the end of line thirteen (13) in section five (5).

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 220, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding the word "commission" at the end of line five (5), section one (1), and that a second and additional section be added to said bill to read as follows: to-wit: "Whereas an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force from and after its passage."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 291, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 240, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 94, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following: That whenever any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who may have at any time served as a regular or volunteer soldier, sailor or marine in the army or navy of the United States, or the wife, or widow of any such soldier, sailor or marine, resident of any county in this state, other than the inmates of the Indiana State soldiers' home or the national military home in Grant county, shall die, upon claim filed by any interested person with the board of commissioners of the county, stating the fact of such service, death and discharge, and that the body has been buried in a decent and respectable manner in a cemetery or burial ground in this state, such board of commissioners shall investigate, hear and determine such claim like other claims, filed for allowance by them, and if, the facts averred are found to be true, such board shall consider, also, the tribute of respect due to such soldier, sailor or marine and make allowance of such

claim in a sum not exceeding seventy-five dollars (\$75) for service rendered and material furnished in care of such body and such burial:

And be it further provided, That in case of such death and burial, it is averred in such claim and proven that from actual necessity a burial place not to exceed the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for the body of such soldier, sailor or marine, or the body of the wife, or widow of such soldier, sailor or marine was purchased in the most accessible cemetery, such board shall make further reasonable allowance in payment for such burial place, and such allowance in either or both cases shall be paid from the funds of such county, as now provided by law.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred House Bill No. 13, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

FRANK WRIGHT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, Public Health, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 115, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Section seven (7), line three (3) strike out fifteen (15) and add one (1).

Add section ten (10) to read as follows:

Section ten (10), Provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to in

any way abridge the right of parents or guardians to employ whatever professional service they may desire, nor, to effect the practice of religious tenets of any church, and when so amended that that said bill do pass.

READ.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 326, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act providing that certain vehicles, traveling upon the highways of the state at night, shall carry lights; defining misdemeanor; and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 327, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act entitled an act to empower boards of school commissioners of cities of the first class and the boards of school trustees of cities of the second class to establish and maintain normal schools or teachers' training schools in connection with the public schools of such cities.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 328, by Mr. Houghton:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913, and legalizing amounts heretofore paid out of the gravel road repair fund for repair of free gravel or macadam roads within the corporate limits of incorporated towns and cities and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 329, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act to amend section five hundred and three (503) of an act entitled, "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 330, by Mr. Westfall:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of bailiffs in counties in which criminal or superior courts are organized, and declaring an emergency," approved February 24, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 331, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act creating a state historical commission, providing for the editing and publication of historical materials and for an historical and educational celebration of the Indiana Centennial," approved March 8, 1915, providing for the gathering, preserving and publishing of material relating to Indiana history, and for the continuing and making permanent the work commenced by the Indiana historical commission, created by said act.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 332, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act to regulate advertising.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 333, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act concerning common schools in cities having a population of more than one hundred thousand, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 334, by Mr. Dynes.

A bill for an act providing for a change of time of electing township assessors; and fixing the time when their terms of office shall begin.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Counties and Townships.

House Bill No. 335, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act fixing the compensation of certain township assessors; fixing the compensation of deputy township assessors; making this act supplemental to prior acts on the subjects of the compensation of township assessors and their deputies; and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 336, by Mr. Sipe (by request):

A bill for an act providing for the exemption of real estate and personal property of Greek letter fraternities and other societies connected with a college or university, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 337, by Mr. Miles.

A bill for an act for the supervision of farm mutual insurance companies.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 338, by Mr. Bayer:

A bill for an act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping, keeping for sale or the giving away or the having possession for personal use of cigarettes, cigarette papers, cigarette wrappers and other substitutes for the same.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

House Bill No. 339, by Mr. Gorski:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred and fourteen (114) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills No. 52, 53, 56, 71 and 90, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

House Bill No. 340, by Mr. Haslanger:

A bill for an act concerning exchange of telephone service between competing lines and fixing maximum rates therefor.



Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Telegraphs and Telephones.

House Bill No. 341, by Mr. Miller of Tippecanoe:

A bill for an act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties for the nomination of candidates for office, for the voting in primaries, in lieu of registration, prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 342, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred sixteen (216) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 343, by Mr. McNaghy:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 344, by Mr. McNaghy:

A bill for an act to regulate the installation of high voltage electric power wires.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 90, by Senator Hirsch.

A bill for an act defining the property owners who may have the privilege of

paying for public improvements by installments.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 71, by Senator Green.

A bill for an act allowing mileage fees to physicians attending insanity inquests.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 56, by Senator Laney.

A bill for an act concerning changes of venue in civil actions, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 52, by Senator Smith.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning township business," approved February 27, 1899, and fixing a manner of filling vacancies occurring in township advisory boards.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 53, by Senator Green.

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled, "An act to prohibit the use of ferrets in hunting rabbits or any other species of game in the State of Indiana," approved February 12, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 215, being:

A bill for an act to provide for payment of cost of care in benevolent institutions from the property or estates of inmates, in certain cases.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 238, being:

A bill for an act concerning the assessment of the property of public utilities.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 213, being:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act providing for the creation, organization, management and control of drainage districts in counties wherein are located any city having a population of not less than 60,000 nor more than 68,000 according to the last preceding United States census,—granting such district and its officers power and authority to construct, maintain and repair improvements therein, giving them powers of condemnation and appropriation and defining generally the rights, powers, duties and authority of such drainage district and the officers thereof and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 201, being:

A bill for an act to amend section four hundred forty-nine (449) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses."

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Houghton offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 201 by striking out the word "shall" after the word "which" in line 14 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may."

HOUGHTON.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed with the amendment.

House Bill No. 256, being:

A bill for an act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration, numbering and regulation of the same, defining chauffeurs and providing for the examination and licensing thereof.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 256 by striking out the words "state prison" where they occur in line 23 of section twenty (20) of the original bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "county jail;" also by striking out the word "secretary" at the end of line seventeen, (17) all of line eighteen (18) and the word "actual" at the beginning of line nineteen (19), all in section twenty-one (21). By striking out the period after the word "certified" at the end of line thirty-one (31) in section twenty-one (21) and inserting in lieu thereof the following "on the first day of January and the first day of July of each year: Provided, That the county auditor shall be authorized to take the acknowledgement of the application for the registration of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle, and shall be entitled to a fee of twenty-five cents (\$.25) for each and every such acknowledgement so

taken to be paid by the applicant, which shall belong to and be the property of such county auditor."

KIMMEL.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Green offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 256 by striking out all of line eight (8) in section one (1) of the printed bill beginning with and including the words "Each registration;" also all of lines nine (9) and ten (10) and all of line eleven (11) up to and including the word "rate" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Registrations issued for less than a year shall be charged for at one-twelfth (1-12) of the full yearly rate for each month or fraction of a month during which such registration will run."

GREEN.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move further consideration of House Bill No. 256 be indefinitely postponed.

CRAVENS.

Mr. Miller of Howard, moved to lay the motion on the table.

Mr. Cravens and Mr. Gentry demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldrege, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harker,

Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Yoder, Mr. Speaker, Total, 64.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Cravens, Curry, Durham, Gentry, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon, Henke, Hougham, Houghton, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Mosier, Osborn, Robertson, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 25.

Motion to lay on table carried.

Mr. Houghton offered the following amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 256 by striking out section twenty-two (22) thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "All moneys derived under the provisions of this act, (except moneys received for fines, penalties and forfeitures which shall be paid to the county treasurer of the proper county and be added to the school funds of such county) and received by the county auditor as registration fees for the examining and licensing of chauffeurs, as provided in this act shall be paid over and deposited in the state treasury; and all moneys derived under the provisions of this act shall be set apart in the state treasury as a road fund, and shall be paid semi-annually on January 1st and July 1st on the warrants of the county auditor of state to the counties of the state as herein provided.

Said funds to be distributed as fol-

lows: One-third shall be divided among the counties in proportion to which the number of miles of free gravel or macadam roads in the county bears to the whole number of such roads in the state; one-third shall be divided among the counties on the basis of the amount received from the counties from such registration tax.

In case the amount received by any county exceeds one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) per mile for each mile of free gravel or macadam road, the excess shall be paid into the road fund of the various townships, in proportion to the number of miles of township road, which shall be expended in the maintenance of township roads.

HOUGHTON.

Mr. Miller of Howard moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Vesey offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 256 by striking out the word "two" and figure "2" immediately following in line eight (8), section thirteen (13), and inserting the word "one" in lieu thereof.

VESEY.

Mr. Jinnett moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Which prevailed.

Mr. Clapp offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 256 as follows:

Strike out the word "five" and the figure "5" in line five (5) of section five (5) and insert in lieu thereof the word

"three" and the figure "3;" in the same section in line seven (7) strike out the word "eight" and the figure "8" and insert in lieu thereof the word "five" and the figure "5." Strike out in line nine (9) of the same section the word "fifteen" and the number "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twelve" and the number "12." Strike out of line ten (10) in the same section the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifteen;" and strike out of line eleven of the same section the number "20" and insert in lieu thereof the number "15."

CLAPP.

Mr. Kessler moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Habermel offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 256 by changing the figures \$15.00 to read \$30.00 in line nine (9) section five (5), also to change figures \$20.00 to read \$40.00 in line eleven (11) section five (5).

HABERMEL.

Mr. Harker moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Houghton moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Miller of Howard moved to lay the motion on the table.

The ayes and noes were demanded.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham,

Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total. 63.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bartel, Burt, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Durham, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Houghton, Johnson of Pulaski and White, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Tucker, Turner, Westfall and Wood. Total. 27.

Which motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. Davis of Jay offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 256 by inserting after the word "moneys" in line eighteen (18), section twenty-two (22) the following words and figures "not exceeding twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000)."

DAVIS of Jay.

Mr. Symons moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 p. m.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

January 31, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 86 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Clapp, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Overmyer, Read, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total. 36.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagney, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Scott, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total. 57.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Cravens presented the report of the Legislative Visiting Committee. The report was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 80, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) and section five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Bill No. 192, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Heppler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 88.

Those voting in the negative were: None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 51 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Durham moved that the bill be made a special order for Friday at 2:00 o'clock.

Mr. Davis moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion to lay on the table was lost.

Mr. Durham's motion was carried and the bill was made a special order for 2:00 o'clock Friday.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House express its appreciation of the honor of having as its distinguished guest the Honorable Warren Kiefer, former Speaker of the National House of Representatives, who is now present in this chamber, and that a committee of three members be appointed to escort him to the Speaker's desk, and that he be invited to address the House briefly.

MCGONAGLE.

Which motion prevailed, and Mr. Kiefer accepted the invitation and made an address.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 167 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Houghton made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 167 be referred to its author as a committee of one with instructions to amend the same by striking out the words "dollar on all" after the word one in line 6 of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "hundred dollars of."

HOUGHTON.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Houghton made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee of One, to which was referred House Bill No. 167 for amendment, begs leave to report back the bill to the House amended by striking out the words: "dollars on all", after the word one (1) in line six (6) of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "hundred dollars of."

House concurs in the report.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson,

Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bonham, Clapp, Griffin, Henke, Osborn. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 69, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz,

Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, and Yoder. Total, 90.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 148, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dykes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Total, 80.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Duffey offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Whereas, it is reported that Representative Charles L. Mendenhall is seriously ill at his home in Hendricks county and will be unable for some time to attend the business of this body,

Be It Resolved that the House express its sincere regret for his illness, and that we extend to him our best wishes for his speedy recovery.

DUFFEY.

Which resolution was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, February 1, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## THURSDAY MORNING.

February 1, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Bert DeWitt Beck, Pastor of the Capitol Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.



Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 91.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Axby, Baker, Cravens, Hartke, Mendenhall, Ryan, Total, 6.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miles, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees called for reports.

A majority report:

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 106, has had the same

under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

In section twenty (20) by striking out lines 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 which is all of paragraph six (6) of said section; and in section twenty-three (23) at line twenty-four (24) by striking out the words and figures "one (1) year" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "sixty (60) days;" and in section twenty-four (24) at line two (2) by inserting the word "annually" after the word "appropriated" and before the word "out;" and in section twenty-five (25) at line ninety seven and one-half (97 ½) by inserting the words "are hereby repealed" after the figures "1909." And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER,  
DAVIS,  
YODER,  
KIMMEL,  
WOOD,  
HARKER,  
JINNETT,  
SIPE.

A minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 106, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MCNAGNY,  
HARTKE.

The question being, Shall the minority report be substituted for the majority report?

The minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

House concurred in the majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 10, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 286, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 188, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 178, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 344, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 67, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 235, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SWAIN,  
MONTGOMERY,  
OVERMYER.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 235, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out of section three (3), line sixteen (16), after the word state the words "Said Bureau together with."

Strike out in lines eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) the words "Acting in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of said Bureau."

Strike out of section seven (7), lines 26, 27, 28, 29, reading as follows: "The State Bureau of Agriculture is hereby empowered to administer all laws, or other acts which may be hereafter delegated to said State Bureau of Agricul-

ture by the Legislature or the Governor of the State of Indiana."

And when so amended said bill do pass.

DOUGLAS.

On motion of Mr. Cravens, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Legislative Apportionment, to which was referred House Bill No. 289, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

CLAPP.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll call of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 345, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 346, by Mr. Coggins:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 347, by Mr. Johnson of Grant.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An

act to amend section 122 of an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain state and county officers, fixing certain fees to be taxed in the offices and the salaries of officers therein named providing for certain employes in certain public offices and fixing their compensation, defining certain duties and liabilities of officers and persons therein named, providing for the distribution of certain moneys, making certain appropriations, declaring certain violations of the provisions of this act to be a misdemeanor and prescribing penalties therefor, providing the time when the same shall take effect as to certain officers therein named, and repealing all conflicting laws," approved March 11, 1895, acts 1895, page 319, being section 6528 Burns' Revised Statutes 1901,' approved March 6, 1905," approved March 10, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 348, by Mr. Robertson.

A bill for an act prohibiting the sale or other disposition of fireworks.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 349, by Mr. Robertson:

A bill for an act imposing certain liabilities on persons, firms, and corporations, for the cost of extinguishing fires which occur through their criminal intent, design or wilful negligence, or where they have not complied with any law, ordinance, or other lawful regulation for the prevention of fire or the spreading thereof; providing a method for the ascertainment of such cost, and the manner of collecting the same.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 350, by Mr. Davis of Jay.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for a general system of common schools, the officers thereof, and their respective powers and duties, and matters properly connected therewith, and prescribing the fees for certain officers therein named, and for the establishment and regulation of township libraries, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, providing penalties therein prescribed, approved March 6, 1865, and adding supplemental sections thereto,' approved March 8, 1873," approved March 7, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 351, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act for the relief of Sylvester Francis, late trustee of Milford township, Lagrange county.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 352, by Mr. Dilworth:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the employment of the convicts of the state prison, regulating the hours of the same, how said labor may be employed, when contracts of the same shall expire, making an appropriation for the purchase of machinery, tools and other appliances necessary for the state to employ such labor on its own account, known as the public account system, providing for the payment of all officers, superintendents and

guards of said prison, and declaring an emergency," approved February 10, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 353, by Mr. Dilworth:

A bill for an act concerning the labor of the inmates of the Indiana Reformatory, Indiana State Prison and the Indiana State Farm, on state account, providing for the disposition of the product of such labor and providing penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 354, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act concerning the per diem of certain county, township, city and town officials.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 355, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act fixing the fees, salaries, duties and compensation of the officers and persons named therein, prohibiting the violation of its provisions, and repealing certain laws," approved March 12, 1875.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 356, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act concerning registration of stock certificates and bonds.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 357, by Mr. Swain.  
(by request):

A bill for an act concerning hours of service by employes of public service corporations.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 358, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act to promote corn production in Indiana through field contests and exhibits, and the dissemination of information.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 359, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act concerning the organization and control of corporations for pecuniary profit.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 360, by Mr. Sipe.

A bill for an act providing for change of venue from judge or county in criminal cases, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 361, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning the appointment and salaries of certain county officials in counties having a populations of not less than one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000)," approved March 4, 1911, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 362, by Mr. Jameson  
(by request):

A bill for an act providing for a state building code commission to prepare a state building code.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 363, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act to provide for the erection of a pioneer mothers' and war women's memorial monument and appropriating money therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 364, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act defining the crime of arson in the second degree and prescribing for its commission.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 365, by Mr. Jacoby.

A bill for an act concerning title deeds to real property, and barring actions to set aside titles to real property in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 366, by Mr. Green.

A bill for an act concerning the cancellation of certain surety bonds given in justice courts of more than ten (10) years' standing.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 367, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act creating the office of district judge and defining his power and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 368, by Mr. Wood:

A bill for an act to provide for the repair and maintenance of public drains.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 369, by Mr. Durham:

A bill for an act providing for the apprehension of persons sentenced to the Indiana State Farm escaping therefrom, removing persons convicted and sentenced for escaping from said farm to the Indiana State Prison and Indiana Reformatory, providing how appointed agents shall be paid for apprehending said persons and how sheriffs shall be paid for removing such persons to the Indiana State Prison and Reformatory after their conviction, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 370, by Mr. Durham:

A bill for an act to reimburse Putnam county for expenses incurred in the apprehension of prisoners escaped from the Indiana State Farm.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 371, by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), one hundred and three (103), one hundred and seventeen (117) and to repeal sections ninety eight (98), one hundred and four (104), one hundred and five (105), one hundred and six (106), one hundred and seven (107), one hundred and eight (108), one hundred and nine (109) and one hundred and nineteen (119) of an act entitled

"An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act authorizing municipal corporations owning or operating electric light, power or water plants to furnish electrical current or water or both to any person, firm or corporation, either municipal or private, living or situated without such municipal corporation," approved March 9, 1915, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one hundred eleven (111) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission, on the public service commission,' approved March 4, 1913," approved March 8, 1915, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one hundred twelve (112) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission,' approved March 4, 1913," approved March 9, 1915, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 372, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act authorizing courts to appoint a trustee with powers to said trustee to receive money for the use and benefit of children in certain divorce proceedings and to handle such moneys and pay and distribute the same for the use and benefit of the children of the divorced parties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 373, by Mr. Bartel:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the discontinuance of public schools, providing for the transportation of pupils as necessitated thereby, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith,' approved March 11, 1907," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 374, by Mr. Bartel:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act providing for a change of the time of electing certain township officers; fixing a time when they shall qualify and assume the duties of their respective offices; providing for separate ballots and ballot boxes, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith," approved February 25, 1897, approved March 2, 1911, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 375, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act concerning civil procedure.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 376, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act entitled an act to amend section one hundred and seventy-seven (177) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approve March 6, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 377, by Mr. Hoffman:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act providing for a change of the time of electing certain township officers; fixing a time when they shall qualify and assume the duties of their respective offices; providing for separate ballots and ballot boxes, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith,' approved February 25, 1897, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith," approved March 2, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Township.

House Bill No. 378, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 175, being:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act concerning annuities for aged, infirm, disabled, diseased or retired teachers in cities having a population of not less than 20,000 nor more than 100,000, according to the last preceding United State census, and declaring an emergency," approved March 15, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 222, being:

A bill for an act concerning fire drills in public schools.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 234, being:

A bill for an act concerning the education of the blind in the state universities and the state normal school.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 260, being:

A bill for an act requiring steam and interurban railroad companies to supply sanitary drinking cups free of charge to passengers.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 260 by inserting after the word "railroad" in line four (4) of section one (1) of the printed bill the words "over ten (10) miles in length;"

Also by inserting after the word "shall" at the end of line 4 in section 1 a comma and the words and punctuation "upon request to the conductor or any member of the train crew."

Also by inserting after the period following the word "railroad" at the end of line six (6) of section one (1) of the printed bill the following:

"There shall be posted near the water container a notice in conspicuous letters disclosing where and how sanitary drinking cups may be obtained."

Also by striking out the words and figures "twenty-five" and "fifty" where they occur in lines five (5) and six (6) of section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "five" and "ten" respectively.

DYNES.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed with the amendment.

House Bill 263, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) and section three (3) of an act entitled "An act regulating the transfer of dependent children in orphans' homes and other custodial institutions for dependent children from one school corporation to another, providing for their education, authorizing appeals, the settlement of disputed claims, and declaring an emergency," approved February 6, 1903.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 273, being:

A bill for an act concerning the health and safety of persons engaged in operating locomotive engines.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 39, by Senator Thornton, being:

A bill for an act prohibiting practice by county attorneys before boards of county commissioners.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Bills on third reading.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 196 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Anderson offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 196 by striking out the words and figures "fourteen (14)" in line two (2) of section one (1) and inserting the words and figures "one (1)."

ANDERSON.



On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the will was made a special order for 11:00 o'clock to-morrow.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 101 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Griffin, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 54.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Bayer, Blackmore, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Jameson, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Tucker, Waltz, Williams, Woods. Total, 40.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 155, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 93.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 147 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Walker made the following motion:

House Motion.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move the Engrossed House Bill No. 147 be referred to a Committee of One, its author, with instructions to amend as follows:

Section one (1), line five (5), strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one." And in line six (6) strike out the word "tenths" and insert in lieu thereof the word "tenth."

In section four (4), line eleven (11), strike out the word "five tenths" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one tenth."

Section four (4), line nineteen and one half (19½), strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five." And in line 20 of said section, strike out the figure "10," and insert in lieu thereof the figure "25."

In section one (1), line eleven (11) strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five."

WALKER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cravens offered the following report:

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 147, with specific instruction to amend reports that is has amended said bill as follows:

Section one (1), line five (5), strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one." And in line six (6), strike out the word "tenths" and insert in lieu thereof the word "tenth."

In section one (1), line eleven (11), strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five."

In section four (4), line eleven (11), strike out the word "five-tenths" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one-tenth."

Section four (4), line nineteen and one-half (19½), strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five," and in line twenty (20) of said section strike out the figure ten (10) and insert in lieu thereof the figure twenty-five (25).

CRAVENS.

The House concurred in the report.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Har-ker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Has-langer, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoff-man, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mc-Nagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippe-canoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robert-son, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walk-er, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 p. m.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

#### THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

February 1, 1917.

The House was called to order at 2:00 p. m. with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 151, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Grube, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Mason, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 46.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Behmer, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Henke, Heppler, Hoffman, Hougham, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kessler, McGonagle, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 35.

The bill failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 169 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller, of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 63.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cravens, Curry, Douglas, Grube, Harmon.

Hartke, Haslanger, Hougham, Krieg, McNagny, Moore, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Winesburg, Woods, Mr. Speaker. Total, 25.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 203, which was read a third time in full.

By unanimous consent of the House Mr. Gentry offered the following amendment.

House motion.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 203 by adding the following after the word carnival in line twenty-three (23), section one (1), "which said license fee shall be paid personally by the owner or agent of the person, firm or corporation owning or operating said carnival."

By inserting before the word "if" in section one (1), line twenty-four (24) the words "per day."

By inserting after (\$15) and before the word "if" in line twenty-six (26) section one (1) the words "per day."

By inserting after (\$20) and before the word "if" in line twenty-seven (27), section one (1) the words "per day."

By inserting after (\$25) and before the word "if" in line twenty-nine (29), section one (1) the words "per day."

Section 4. That any person, firm or corporation that shall fail or refuse to pay the license fees provided for by this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty

dollars (\$50), each day's failure to pay said license fee shall be considered a separate and distinct offense.

GENTRY.

Which amendment was adopted by unanimous consent of the House.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Bul-ler, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 90.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Henke, Westfall. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 231, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 86.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 80, which was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Total, 28.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 201, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 201 by referring it to a committee of one, its author, with instructions to be amended as follows:

By adding on line thirty-one (31), section one (1), after the word year, Provided however that the provisions of the above act shall not apply to bona fide commercial travelers.

KIMMEL.

Mr. Buller moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion was not carried and the motion was not laid on the table.

The motion of Mr. Kimmel was not carried.

Mr. Harmon offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 201 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by inserting between the words "State" and "for" in line five (5) of section one (1) thereof the words "or a traveler."

HARMON.

Which motion was not carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 117, which was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Burt,

Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 11, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the house.

The previous question prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Baker, Behmer, Bonham, Burtt, Clapp, Day, Dilworth, Grube, Harker, Hartke, Henke, Krieg, McNagany, Mason, Robertson, Sipe, Southard, Westfall, Wood. Total, 19.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 75.

It was declared that the bill failed to pass.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 59 and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 100, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Westfall offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 100 as originally filed be recommitted to a committee of one, consisting of its author, with specific instructions to make the following corrections, to-wit:

On second page at end of the eighteenth (18) line to correct the spelling of the word "subject" by adding the letter "t;" on same page at the end of twentieth (20) line to correct the spelling of the word "tariffs" by adding the letter "s;" and on same page at end of twenty-first (21) line to correct the spelling of the word "the" by adding the letter "e."

Also on fourth page to correct the spelling of the word "mercantile" in the third line by eliminating the letter "h" therefrom.

Also on eleventh page at the end of the sixteenth (16) line to substitute a lower case "q" for the upper case (capital) "Q". Also on same page (eleventh) to substitute the word "or" for the word "of" between the words "interurban" and "surburban" in the seventeenth (17) line.

WESTFALL.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Durham made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, consisting of its author, to which was recommitted Engrossed House Bill No. 100 with specific instruction to correct, begs leave to report that he has made the corrections as ordered, to-wit:

On second page at end of the eighteenth (18) line the word "subject" has been corrected by adding the letter "t;" on same page at end of twentieth (20) line the word "tariffs" has been corrected by adding the letter "s;" and on same page at end of twenty-first line

the word "the" has been corrected by adding the letter "e."

Also on fourth page the word "mercantile" in the third line has been corrected by eliminating the letter "h" therefrom.

Also on eleventh (11) page at the end of the sixteenth (16) line a lower case "q" has been substituted for the upper case (capital) "Q." Also on same page (eleventh) the word "or" has been substituted for the word "of" between the words "interurban" and "suburban" in the seventeenth line.

DURHAM.

The House concurred in the report.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 94.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Durham offered the following amendment to the title:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 100 be amended by striking out the words and figures "Approved March 13th, 1913" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Approved March 15th, 1913."

DURHAM.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, February 2nd, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY MORNING

February 2, 1917.

The House met at 9:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Johnson of Marion, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook,



Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis, of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffy, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson, of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 91.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Axby, Blackmore, Downey, Hyland, Jacoby, Mendenhall, Ryan, Tucker, Vesey. Total 9.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Harker the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill, No. 71, by Senator Green, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No.

375, has had same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 367, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be recommitted to your committee on Organization of Courts.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 330, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 233, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rivers and Waters, to which was referred House Bill No. 274, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

WILLIAMS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 68, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That there be added in Section one (1) line four (4), the following words: "one of whom shall be a farmer."

That there be added after the word "party" in line six (6), section one (1), the following words: "and not more than two of whom shall be from same congressional district."

By adding to section one (1), the following words: "the entire expenditures of the State Highway Commission shall not exceed annually the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars, for office expenditures and expenditures for supervision."

By striking out the following words from line fifteen (15) to line eighteen (18) in section one (1): "each member of the State Highway Commission shall be allowed his actual and necessary travelling and other expenses incurred in the performance of his duties under the provision of this act," and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Each member of the State Highway Commission shall receive annually the sum of six hundred (\$600) dollars, and in addition thereto his actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the performance of his duties under the provisions of this act."

Section 2. By inserting in line eight (8) after the word "commission" the following "not to exceed six thousand (\$6,000) dollars annually."

In line 10 by striking out the words "and other."

Section 4. Add to section four (4) the following words: "all obligations incurred by the State Highway Engineer in the conduct of his duties under the

provisions of the act shall be approved for payment by the State Highway Commission before the same shall be paid."

In section six (6), line thirty-seven (37), by striking out the following words: "and pay the expenses therefor."

By striking out in section six (6) in lines forty to forty-two (40 to 42), inclusive, the following words: "in so far as the same does not interfere with the regular schedule work of the university and the cost shall be paid out of the state highway fund."

By inserting in lieu of the words stricken out the following words: "and for the use of said testing laboratory as as herein provided nothing shall be paid by the State Highway Commission, or by the State Highway Engineer."

In section seven (7), strike out in lines one and two (1 and 2), the following words: "upon petition signed by not fewer than fifty (50) freeholders of a county" and by inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "upon petition signed by not fewer than one hundred (100) free holders of a county where the highway is entirely within one county or by not fewer than one hundred (100) free holders of the counties where the highway is on the boundary between two or more counties."

By inserting in section seven (7) in line eight (8) after the word "same" the following words: "or a copy thereof."

Section nine (9), by inserting after the word "roads" in line two (2) of section nine (9), the following words: "in each county."

By striking out in section ten (10) in lines eleven to fifteen (11 to 15) the following words: "of such work; and determine the kind of material and plans of construction. The State Highway Engineer shall receive bids, and and if the Commission so determines on

so receiving bids for two (2) or more kinds of material and forms of construction for the road," and by inserting in lieu of the words stricken out the following: "of constructing or re-constructing said roads."

By striking out all of section eleven (11) and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 11. The State Highway Engineer shall advertise for bids in such manner as may be approved by general rules of the Commission; all bids submitted shall be received at the office of the County Auditor, by the County Auditor of the County in which said roads are located and shall be publicly opened and read at the time stated in the advertisement by the State Highway Engineer or some one designated by him. The State Highway Engineer shall have the right to reject any and all bids, if in his opinion, the bids are too high or any good cause exists therefor but otherwise he shall award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder subject to the approval of the Board of County Commissioners of said county. In the event that the road proposed to be improved is a county line road then the State Highway Engineer shall designate where the bids shall be received and the award of the contract shall not be subject to the approval of the several boards of commissioners. In the event that satisfactory bids are not received the State Highway Engineer shall have the power to advertise for new bids on the same or amended plans and specifications or the State Highway Engineer may have the work done by day labor under his direction. The successful bidder shall be required to furnish bond to the state of Indiana with sureties in the sum to be fixed by the Commissioners, conditioned that such work shall be performed in accordance with the plans and specifications and the terms of the contract. The Commission may require that the bonds shall be conditioned that the roads surfacing

will be kept in ordinary repair by the contractor for a period of ten years. No party bidding for the work shall be accepted as surety on the required bond. When a contract is executed by the State Highway Engineer and the successful bidder, copy of the same, including the plans, specifications and estimates of cost, shall be forthwith filed in the office of the State Highway Commission, with a like copy furnished to the Board of County Commissioners for filing in their office. In all cases where the estimated cost of the proposed improvement is less than one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, it shall be discretionary with the State Highway Engineer whether bids shall be called for or whether the work shall be done by day labor by the State Highway Engineer. The provisions relating to advertising for bids shall apply to the letting of contracts for extra work, resulting from unforeseen contingencies not included in the original contract.

The Board of County Commissioners in the event said Board shall not approve the contract, shall certify to the Highway Engineer, in writing, their reasons for not approving the contract, which reasons shall be specifically and in detail set forth."

Section 13. By striking out in line four (4), in section thirteen (13), the word "may" and by inserting the following: "shall notify the sureties on the bond of the contractor who shall be given thirty days to begin the work of construction of the road under the contract and if the sureties on said bond, for any reason shall refuse, fail or neglect to complete the work of construction under said contract, which work shall be begun on or before the expiration of said thirty days, then said engineer."

Section 14. In section fourteen (14), by striking out in line sixteen (16), the word "engineer" and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "fund."

Section 17. By striking out in line

one (1), section seventeen (17), the words, "engineer may" and by inserting in lieu thereof, "commission shall" and by adding in line two after the word "payments" the following: "of eighty (80%) per cent of the amount due on all accepted work."

In section nineteen (19) by striking out in line two (2) the word "engineer" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "commission."

Section 20. By striking out in section twenty (20), lines eighteen to twenty (18 to 20), the following words: "or the State Highway Engineer may furnish the material or labor or both and directly supervise the repair and maintenance."

Section 22. By striking out in section twenty-two (22), line two (2), the word "may" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall."

Section 24. By striking out in section twenty-four (24), line one (1), the words: "State Highway Engineer" and inserting in lieu thereof the words: "county commissioners;" and by striking out of lines two (2) and three (3) the following words: "and the concurrence of the Boards of County Commissioners"

Section 25. In section twenty-five (25), by inserting in line nine (9) after the word "the" the following words: "state highway."

Section 26. By striking out of line thirty-three (33) in section twenty-six (26), the word "actual" and inserting in lieu thereof of the following: "estimated" and by adding in line thirty-four (34) to the sentence ending with the word "construction" the following: "which said estimated cost shall be made by the State Highway Engineer."

By striking out in line thirty-nine (39) the following words: "one third (1-3)" and by inserting in lieu thereof "one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ )."

By striking out in lines forty to forty-two (40 and 42), the following words: "the expense to the State shall

be credited to the amount due from the State to the County as State aid for such highway."

Section 28. By striking out in section twenty-eight (28), clauses "B" and "D".

DUFFEY.

Chairman Pro Tem.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 318, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MASON.

. House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 235, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That after the word "the" and before the word "financial" in line eight, section seven, be inserted: "The President attested by the financial secretary."

Also after the word "depository" at the end of section seven (7), "upon presentation of a voucher signed by the president."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

SWAIN,  
MONTGOMERY,  
HESSONG,  
BONHAM,  
OVERMYER,  
TUCKER,  
DOWNEY,  
MASON,  
MILES,  
MOORE.

### Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 235, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out of section three (3), line sixteen (16), after the word "state" the words "said bureau together with."

Strike out in lines eighteen and nineteen (18 and 19) the words "acting in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of said bureau."

Strike out of section seven (7) lines twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), reading as follows: "The state bureau of agriculture is hereby empowered to administer all laws—or other acts which may be hereafter delegated to said State Bureau of Agriculture by the Legislature or the Governor of the State of Indiana."

And when so amended do pass.

MAURICE DOUGLAS.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The ayes and noes were demanded.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Miller of Howard, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Wood. Total 39.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kuhlman, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total 52.

The speaker announced that the minority report is not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report.

The bill with the amendment offered by the majority report of the committee was ordered printed.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 379 by Mr. Bonham:

A bill for an act to prevent the flooding of lands, lots and communities from the overflow of rivers and to make such communities more sanitary and free from stagnant waters and to provide for the condemnation and removal of all dams, and other artificial obstructions therefrom.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rivers and Waters.

House Bill No. 380, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to provide buildings, equipment and support of joint high schools for

cities, towns, township or townships or any part thereof in which they are located or which lies contiguous thereto, providing manner of support thereof and declaring an emergency' approved March 4, 1911," approved February 22, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 381, by Mr. Mosier, (by request):

A bill for an act authorizing the Indiana Horticultural Society to turn over and surrender to the Trustees of Purdue University, its experimental orchard in Lawrence County, Indiana, reserving certain rights therein to said Society, providing for the control and management of said experimental orchard by said University and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 382, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act concerning the department of public parks in cities of the first class, defining its powers and duties, conferring certain powers upon the common council and mayor of such cities in relation to said park department, authorizing the creation of public park districts including such cities and other municipalities and outlying territory, legalizing appointments of boards of park commissioners in such cities, and acts done by such boards, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 383, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act, entitled "An act concerning drainage, and

repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 384, by Mr. Dynes (by request):

A bill for an act to provide for Compensation for Deputy Township Assessors and declaring an emergency.

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 385 by Mr. Myers (by request):

A bill for an act to empower the state fire marshal to make rules and regulations covering the accumulation of rubbish and inflammable materials.

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 386 by Mr. Houghton (by request):

A bill for an act requiring standard hose couplings and hydrant nipples for fire protection in cities and towns.

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 387 by Mr. Henke:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913.

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 388 by Mr. Henke:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act providing for the levying of taxes for township funds," approved March 8, 1915.

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 389 by Mr. Durham.

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning the examination of public accounts and reports thereon, the collection and recovery of public funds, prescribing the duties of public officers in relation thereto, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and expressly repealing sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the collection and recovery of public funds of the State of Indiana, and of counties, townships, cities, and towns therein, and other matters properly connected [therewith,' approved March 3, 1911."

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 390 by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act prohibiting the making, publishing or circulating of derogatory statements affecting banks, trust companies and building associations.

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 391 by Mr. Johnson of Pulaski:

A bill for an act for the encouragement of forestry.

Was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 207, being:

A bill for an act providing for the consolidation of township schools with the schools of a town or towns in the township.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Kessler offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 207 by striking out section five (5) and adding in lieu thereof the following:

Section 5. Whenever any school town in any township is indebted in any amount when such consolidation is proposed, it shall be lawful for the township to purchase the school building, buildings or equipment or such part thereof as shall upon approval by the county superintendent, auditor and assessor, be equivalent to a value not exceeding the indebtedness thereof and the school town shall pay off such indebtedness from the amount paid by the township and transfer such building, buildings, equipment or part thereof to the township.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 44, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning voluntary associations for the purpose of insuring farm property" approved March 15, 1881.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 122 being:

A bill for an act to provide for the publication of all legal notices in daily or weekly newspapers, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 128, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections eleven (11), thirteen (13), fourteen (14) fifteen (15), sixteen (16), twenty (20) and twenty-one (21) of an act entitled

"An act to regulate the practice of dentistry," approved March 8, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 189, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections two and three (2 and 3) of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the better care and control of orphan, dependent, neglected and abandoned children, providing for the establishment, government and maintenance of associations and asylums, the appointment of agents, an appropriation for the payment of the expenses of such agents, regulating the retention of children in county poor asylums, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency, approved February 23, 1897,' and declaring an emergency, approved February 26, 1907, and sections eight and nine (8 and 9) of an act entitled 'An act to authorize the better care and control of orphan, dependent, neglected and abandoned children, providing for the establishment, government and maintenance of associations and asylums, the appointment of agents, an appropriation for the payment of the expenses of such agents, regulating the retention of children in county poor asylums, repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency,' approved February 23, 1897, legalizing certain payments and adding supplemental section,' approved March 15, 1913," approved, March 10, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 220, being:

A bill for an act providing for the examination of the receipts and disbursements of the Panama Pacific Exposition.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 297, being:

A bill for an act authorizing common councils and town boards to compensate families of policemen and firemen killed or injured while in the discharge of their duty.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 94, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty-four (34) of an act for the relief of the poor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, approved March 9, 1901," approved March 9, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 44, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning voluntary associations for the purpose of insuring farm property" approved March 15, 1881.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Alldredge offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 94,

To strike out the words "in this state" in line twelve (12) after the word ground in section one (1).

The bill was read a second time.

The bill with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 13, being:

A bill for an act providing that operators of mines shall furnish shot



firers in mines where shooting and blasting is done, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 248, being:

A bill for an act concerning trademarks, labels and slogans.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 267, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred and forty-seven (247) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 291, being:

A bill for an act for the relief of Lucinda Snyder of Fulton county, Indiana, to authorize and direct the governor to issue to her a patent for certain real estate and relinquish the claim of the state of Indiana to said real estate, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 115, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5) and six (6) of an act entitled "An act to protect and conserve the health and lives of school children and promote their efficiency and subsequent necessary treatment" approved March 6, 1911: Providing additional sections, providing for the levying of a special tax, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith except an act entitled "An act concerning health in schools in cities of more than one hundred thousand population," approved March 6, 1909.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 239, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the holding of monthly township teachers' institutes; to authorize the holding of monthly teachers' institutes in school towns and school cities at the discretion of the boards of education and superintendent of schools of said towns and cities; to provide for the payment for attendance upon such institutes; to declare an emergency; and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harris offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 239, by inserting the word "school" in line three (3), section one and-one half (1½) after the word "other."

And by striking out all of section three and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "This act shall be in force and effect on and after September 1st, 1917."

HARRIS.

The bill was read a second time.

The bill with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 196 which was read a third time in full.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Anderson offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 196 by striking out the words and figures "fourteen (14)" in line two (2) of section one (1) of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "one (1)."

ANDERSON.

The amendment was adopted by a unanimous vote of the House.

The amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cravens, Mr. Speaker. Total 2.

The bill was declared passed.

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment to the title:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend title of House Bill No. 196 by striking out the words and figures "fourteen (14)" in line one (1) of title, and inserting in lieu therefor the words and figures "one (1)."

ANDERSON.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 234, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 94.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 263, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 263 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend said bill as follows:

By striking out lines twelve and thirteen (12 and 13) up to the word in, in section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Provided that if said child is a resident of said school corporation for less than one year, said annual per capita cost shall be pro-rated."

McNAGNY.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kessler offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee of one, the author, to which was referred Engrossed Printed House Bill No. 263 has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as follows:

By striking out lines twelve and thirteen (12 and 13) in section one (1) up to the word in and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Provided that if said child is a resident of said school corporation for less than one year, said annual per capita cost shall be pro-rated."

KESSLER.

Which report was concurred in by the House.

The amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Griffin, Habermel, Har-ker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGon-agle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 213, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 87.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 175, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper,

Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright, of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 86.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Henke, Westfall. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 260, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Geddes moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

The motion was carried.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Cooper, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Gorski, Green, Grube, Hessong, Hougham, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Mushett, O'Leary, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Wright of Clay, Mr. Speaker. Total, 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Baker, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski, and White, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Yoder. Total, 54.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 222, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Grube, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel,

Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Myers, O'Leary, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Symons, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wright of Clay. Total 52.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Coggins, Curry, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Harker, Hoffman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Moore, Osborn, Overmyer, Sipe, Swain, Turner, Waltz, Yoder. Total 21.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Cravens, the House adjourned to 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning, February 3, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives.

## SATURDAY MORNING

February 3, 1917.

The House met at 10:30 o'clock with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Edward S. Shumaker of Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt.

Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright, of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 85.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Blackmore, Bonham, Davis of Jay, Downey, Duffey, Geddes, Gentry, Habermel, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, McClaskey, Mendenhall, Ryan. Total 15.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miles the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 349, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

**HARKER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges to which was referred House Bill No. 319, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

**HARKER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 261 has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of section three (3) and renumbering section four (4) as No. 3.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

**ANDERSON.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 149, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**HYLAND.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 322, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**HYLAND.**

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code to which was referred House Bill No. 317, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 200, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 329, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 216, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 90, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report

the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 229, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 53, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
BAYER,  
JOHNSON,  
BULLER,  
HOUGHTON,  
KIMMEL,  
DYNES,  
McNAGNY,  
LAFUZE.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 53, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

CURRY,  
TURNER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bill.

House Bill No. 392, by Mr. McGonagle.

A bill for an act authorizing the voluntary admission of persons to the state hospitals for the insane, providing for their care and treatment, permitting the voluntary payment of the cost thereof, and authorizing extensions of the hospital service.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Benevolent and Scientific Institutions.

House Bill No. 393, by Mr. Miltenberger.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering boards of trustees of school cities of all cities incorporated under the general laws of this state and boards of trustees of school towns of all incorporated towns in this state, to issue bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding their indebtedness, or the indebtedness of any city or incorporated town incurred for the purpose of buying school grounds or erecting or repairing school buildings, and the proceeds whereof have been used by the school city or town for the purpose of buying grounds for school purposes, or erecting or repairing school buildings, reducing the rate of interest or pre-existing obligations or taking up or cancelling bonds, notes or other obligations already due or which shall hereafter become due, and making it the duty of the board of trustees of such school towns to levy taxes for the

payment of the interest and authorizing the board of trustees of such school cities and school towns to provide sinking funds for the liquidation of the principal of such bonds, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 394, by Mr. Anderson:

A bill for an act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of Boards of City Planning Commissioners within municipalities and prescribing their powers and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 395, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act to amend section seventeen (17) of an act entitled "An act prescribing who may make a will, the effect thereof, what may be devised, regulating the revocation, admission to probate, and contest thereof," approved May 31, 1852.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 396, by Mr. Sipe (by request):

A bill for an act providing for the election of directors of all corporations organized under the laws of the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 397, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to



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Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 398, by Mr. Jameson:

A bill for an act entitled, "An act relating to the residence of insurance agents, fixing penalties and providing for the repeal of all acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 399, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to provide for the annual publication by civil cities and towns of all receipts, expenditures and allowances.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 400, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act in reference to the publication in newspapers of notices, reports and other matter," approved March 3, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 401, by Mr. Miles (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section thirteen (13) of an act entitled "An act concerning teachers' licenses and success graduation (grades). Providing for qualifications and examinations or (of) applicants for teachers' licenses, fees, records and reports incident thereto: grading of success, records and reports incident thereto and appeals thereon: and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith," approved March 10, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 402, by Mr. Miles (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications of superintendents of schools in towns and cities.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committees on Education.

House Bill No. 403, by Mr. Osborn:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty-six (36) of an act entitled 'An act concerning county business,' approved March 3, 1899, and declaring an emergency," approved March 9, 1903.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township.

House Bill No. 404, by Mr. Osborn:

A bill for an act requiring steam and electric railways to keep right-of-ways clear of trees and bushes.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 405, by Mr. Hepler (by request):

A bill for an act relating to lands in St. Joseph county, in the state of Indiana, and authorizing the governor

to execute a deed therefor, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 406, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act providing a method of constructing township roads.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads.

Mr. McClaskey offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the speaker be empowered to vacate a room suitable to be used as an enrolling room for the House of Representatives.

McCLASKEY.

Which motion prevailed.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 267 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, South-

ard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 82.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 132, by Senator Beardsley, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 80.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 273, which was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 93.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 207, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson, of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, Mason, McNagny, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright, of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Buller. Total 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down engrossed House Bill No. 291, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total 89.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Durham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a Committee of five (5) be appointed by the speaker of the House for the purpose of drawing up resolutions to endorse the action of the President and Congress of the United States in breaking off diplomatic relations with Germany.

DURHAM.

Mr. Harmon offered the following amendment to the motion offered by Mr. Durham.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the resolution by making the same read that the Speaker appoint a Committee of five to draft resolutions to express the confidence of this House in the President in this crucial hour.

HARMON.

The motion to amend was adopted.

The motion, as amended, was adopted and the Speaker appointed Messrs. McGonagle, Houghton, Cravens, Miller of Howard and Durham the Committee to draft said resolutions.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 13, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Westfall moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

The motion was carried.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham,

Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson, of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery. Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 85.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Your Special Committee offers the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee appointed to draft appropriate resolutions on the matter of news received on the severance of diplomatic relations between the government of the United States and the Imperial German Government, begs leave to report the resolutions herewith submitted.

MCGONAGLE,  
HOUGHTON,  
CRAVENS,  
MILLER of Howard,  
DURHAM.

## House Resolution.

Whereas, News has been received of the severance of diplomatic relations between the American Government and the Imperial German Government and,

Whereas, The people of the State of Indiana have ever been loyal to our country in its hour of stress and emergency, and willingly have responded to the Nation's call,

Therefore, Be it resolved that the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana in session assembled, do hereby sanction the action of the President of the United States and express full confidence in his integrity and patriotism in the serious and trying situation which confronts him; and that we pledge to him and to the Congress our loyal and patriotic support in the grave responsibilities now before them.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the President, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Congress of the United States.

Which resolution was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock Monday, February 5, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON

February 5, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Fredrick Kemster, of the Brightwood Congregational Church, Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 93.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Bayer, Blackmore, Henke, Hoffman, Mendenhall, Overmyer, Ryan. Total 7.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Saturday morning, February 3rd, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Davis the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker announced the following Committee on State Parks:

Messrs. Houghton, Gentry, Overmyer, Eikenberry, Clapp, Yoder, Coggins,

Mason, Geddes, Robertson, Ryan, Griffin, Adams.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 311, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 288, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 181, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting in line thirteen (13) of section one (1) after the word "qualified" the words "which said Commissioners shall serve without compensation."

By striking out in line fifteen (15) of section one (1) the words following the word "commissioners;" all of line sixteen (16) of said section, and all of line seventeen (17) of said section up to and including the word "city."

By striking out in line four (4) of section two (2) thereof the word "be" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "have been."

By striking out lines five (5) and six (6) and all of line seven (7) of section two (2) up to and including the word "appointment" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words "in good standing for a total period of six (6) years previous to the time of said appointment or promotion."

By inserting after the word "appointment" in line four (4) of section two (2) the words "or promotion."

By inserting in line thirteen (13) of section two (2) after the word "him" the words "of which he had been found guilty."

By striking out in line three (3) of section two (2) the word "his" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "said."

By inserting after section eight (8) a new section numbered section nine (9) and reading as follows:

"The common council of any such city shall make necessary appropriations for the carrying out of the provisions of this act."

By inserting a new section designated section ten (10) and reading as follows:

"Nothing contained in this act shall be construed so as to prevent the removal of any patrolman, fireman or officer in either of said police or fire departments, who at the time of his appointment or promotion was not qualified under the provisions of this act to receive such appointment or promotion."

By changing section nine (9) of the act to read section eleven (11) and to change section ten (10) of said act to read section twelve (12).

By inserting in line four (4) of section one (1) after the word "member" the words "not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges to which was referred House Bill No. 123, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 160, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 348, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 221, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 326, has had

the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
JOHNSON,  
CURRY,  
TURNER,  
BULLER,  
LAFUZE,  
McNAGNY,  
HOUGHTON.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 326, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

VESEY,  
KIMMEL,  
DYNES.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report of the Committee.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 407, by Burtt and McClaskey:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to create a board of commissioners for the purpose of securing for use in the common schools of the State of Indiana of a series of text-books, defining the duties of certain officers therein named with reference thereto, making appro-

priations therefor, defining certain felonies and misdemeanors, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of said act, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' which became a law by lapse of time without the governor's approval, on the 2d day of March, 1889, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 408, by Mr. Miltenberger:

A bill for an act creating a state library commission, providing for the conduct of the state library and for the promotion of public library work and the development of traveling libraries.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Libraries.

House Bill No. 409, by Mr. Habermel:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred thirteen (613) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled 'An act to regulate the taking of fish in the waters of the state, to protect the waters of this state from pollution, regulating matters properly connected therewith, providing penalties for violations of this act, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith,' approved March, 2 1901, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith," approved March 11, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 410, by Mr. Habermel (by request):



A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning the equalization of assessments of real and personal property by the state board of tax commissioners, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith." Approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 411, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act to amend section fifty-five (55) of an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain state and county officers, fixing certain fees to be taxed in the offices and the salaries of officers therein named, providing for certain employees in certain public offices and fixing their compensation, defining certain duties and liabilities of officers and persons therein named, providing for the distribution of certain moneys, making certain appropriations, declaring certain violations of the provisions of this act to be a misdemeanor and prescribing penalties therefor, providing the time when the same shall take effect as to certain offices therein named, and repealing all conflicting laws," approved March 11, 1895.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 412, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act authorizing cities, towns and townships to levy and collect special taxes in certain cases for the maintenance and support of certain public hospitals located therein.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township.

House Bill No. 413, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act concerning the hours of labor of, and conditions of employment of female employees in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

Message from the Governor:

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF THE SEVENTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

I beg leave to advise you that I have approved House Enrolled Bills Nos. 59 and 88 and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,  
JAMES P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

House Bill No. 414, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act to provide for establishing and operating municipal public markets and authorizing appropriations therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 415, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act fixing the date on which the salaries of county officers shall be paid.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 416, by Mr. Sambor:

A bill for an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled "An act concerning the school attendance of children," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 417, by Mr. Mosier  
(by request):

A bill for an act to amend section eighteen (18) of an act entitled "An act concerning annuities or benefits for teachers retired after specified years of service or for disability, and other matters connected therewith and pertaining thereto," which became a law without the governor's signature, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 418, by Mr. Kuhlman:

A bill for an act concerning the payments of fees and other money of state officers, boards and commissions into the state treasury, and payments from the state treasury.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 419, by Mr. Kessler  
(by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act requiring the establishment and maintenance of township high schools, and matters properly connected therewith, approved March 7th, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 420, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act defining the tenth, fifteenth and fortieth judicial circuits, fixing the time of holding court therein, defining the duties of the prosecuting attorneys and judges in such circuits heretofore elected and providing for the return of processes and other matters.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 421, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act providing for the appointment and commissioning of railroad police, prescribing their qualifications, powers and liabilities, compensations, badges and bonds and for the cancellation of their powers.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 422, by Mr. Miles  
(by request):

A bill for an act to provide for an investigation of the apportionment and distribution of school funds.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 423, by Mr. Miles  
(by request):

A bill for an act concerning kindergarten schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 424, by Mr. Jinnett  
(by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) and the title of an act entitled "An act authorizing boards of county commissioners and county councils to appropriate and pay money in aid of agricultural fairs," approved March 4, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 425, by Mr. Vesey.

A bill for an act to amend section ninety-seven (97) of an act entitled, "An act concerning municipal corporations" approved March 6, 1905, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 426, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act to further conserve the natural resources of the state.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

House Bill No. 427, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act providing for continuation of schools or classes and compelling attendance thereon for children from fourteen (14) to sixteen (16) years of age.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 78 with amendments and the same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House, and has concurred in the House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 5.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Bills on second reading.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 71, by Senator Green.

A bill for an act allowing mileage fees to physicians attending insanity inquests.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 172, being:

A bill for an act defining the crime of burglary with explosives and providing the punishment therefor.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 10, by Senator Simmons, being:

A bill for an act entitled "An act regulating pleadings in the courts of the State of Indiana so as to avoid unnecessary repetitions of allegations in the several and respective paragraphs of such pleadings."

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 225, being:

A bill for an act authorizing an economy and efficiency survey under the direction of the governor.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 375, being:

A bill for an act concerning civil procedure.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 240, being:

A bill for an act providing for donations to the state educational and state charitable or benevolent institutions and to the state of Indiana for state parks or other state purposes, on annuities returned, and providing for proper safeguards thereto, and legalizing former gifts to these institutions.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 235, being:

A bill for an act to establish a bureau of agriculture of the State of Indiana defining its power and duties and authorizing and empowering the governor to take from the Indiana State Board of Agriculture a title to the Indiana State Fair Grounds, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 235 be amended by inserting after the word "accounts" at the end of section eleven (11) the following:

"Provided, however, That said Bureau, of Agriculture, shall have no power to bind the property under its control, nor bind the State of Indiana, for any of the debts or obligations created by it, nor for the payment of any sum of money whatsoever in excess of the annual appropriation fixed in this bill or any subsequent appropriation made from time to time by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana.

Also that in line nine (9) section seven (7) insert the words "and the" after the word "secretary" and before the word "financial," also strike out the word "and" in line ten (10), section seven (7).

MONTGOMERY.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Douglas offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 235 by striking out of section six (6), all of line twenty-seven (27) after the word "Indiana;" also all of lines twenty-nine (29) and thirty (30).

DOUGLAS.

Mr. Montgomery moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Douglas offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 235 by striking out in section three (3), line sixteen (16) after the word "State" the words "said bureau together with."

DOUGLAS.

Mr. Montgomery moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Douglas offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 235, by striking out the word "public" in line twelve (12) of section five (5) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "like"

DOUGLAS.

The amendment was not adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 7 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods,

Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 11, was read a third time in full.

On motion of Mr. McNagny, the bill was made a special order for Wednesday at 10:00 o'clock.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 20, by Senator McCray, was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, Mason, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 69.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Burt, Durham, Harker, McNagny, Osborn. Total 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 65 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Burt, Hougham, Houghton, Jacoby, Jinnett, Krieg, Miller of Howard, Mosier. Total 8.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 51, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Dynes, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Kuhlman, Montgomery, Sambor, Sipe, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 11.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborne, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total 74.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

House Bill No. 215 was read a third time in full.

On motion of Mr. Miller of Howard, the bill was made a special order for 2:00 o'clock tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, February 6, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker of House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY MORNING

February 6, 1917.

The House met at 10:00 o'clock with the speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. P. Maas, of the First Evangelical Church, Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 95.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Duffey, Hoffman, Mendenhall, Waltz. Total 5.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Monday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 347, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "sixty cents" in line one hundred and thirty-two (132), section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty cents", and when so amended that said bill do pass.

JINNETT,  
MOSIER,  
WESTRICK,  
WALKER,  
JOHNSON,  
SIPE,  
MILES,  
MILLER,  
HENKE.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 347, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

CLAPP,  
HEPLER,  
OSBORN.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was carried and the the minority report of the Committee was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Roads to which was referred House Bill No. 57, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HARTKE,  
O'LEARY,  
GREEN,  
DUFFEY,  
LAFUZE,  
DOUGLAS,  
BAYER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Roads to which was referred House Bill No. 57, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the house with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL,  
BLACKMORE,  
OVERMYER,  
MILLER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was carried and the minority report of the Committee was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 252, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries to which was referred House Bill No. 287, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House Concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries to which was referred House Bill No. 384, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 404, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DAVIS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 14, has had the same

under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McGONAGLE,  
BLACKMORE,  
HARKER,  
CRAVENS  
DILWORTH,  
KIMMEL,  
McNAGNY,  
SIPE,  
HARTKE,  
DURHAM.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 14, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended:

By striking out sections two (2), three (3) and four (4) and renumbering section five (5) as section two (2), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

WILLIAMS,  
BULLER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report of the Committee and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes to which was referred House Bill No. 383, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.



MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Libraries, to which was referred House Bill No. 301, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "purposes" in line twenty-four (24) section one (1), the following:

"The total amount of which tax shall be greater than the amount of tax collected by the town or city for said library purposes," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Libraries, to which was referred House Bill No. 219, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 211, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 36, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 26, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, That a committee of three (3) members shall be appointed by the speaker with full power under the authority of the House of Representatives to investigate the financial affairs of the state board of agriculture for such periods as the committee may determine and report their findings back to the House of Representatives not later than February 11, 1917. The committee shall have power by the authority of the House of Representatives to compel the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the production of books and papers. The committee is authorized to require any information from any state office, board, or commission in carrying out the purpose of this resolution.

MILLER of Howard.

Which resolution was adopted and the speaker appointed Messrs. Hyland Miller of Howard and Krieg to act on said committee.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 428, by Mr. Clapp.

A bill for an act requiring persons who purchase pistols or revolvers to

obtain a permit and prohibiting the display of pistols, revolvers and other dangerous and deadly weapons in show windows.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 429, by Mr. Adams, (by request):

A bill for an act for the protection of assemblies, chautauquas, state and county fairs; their grounds, buildings, and improvements, and defining certain misdemeanors and penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 430, by Mr. Eikenberry:

A bill for an act concerning partnerships, firms and individuals, transacting a banking business and repealing sections seven (7) and eight (8) of an act entitled "An act to regulate and supervise the business of banking by individuals, partnerships or unincorporated persons," approved March 8, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 431, by Mr. Harker (by request):

A bill for an act regulating contracts of health or sickness insurance.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 432, by Mr. Anderson:

A bill for an act providing for the furnishing, erecting, constructing, and installing of lamp posts and street lamps along the curb line of property owned by counties in the state, within the corporate limits of cities and towns in the state, providing for the operating and maintenance of same; providing

for the manner on which counties shall pay the expenses of constructing and maintaining the same and paying for lights furnished, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 433, by Mr. Johnson of Grant:

A bill for an act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act concerning the prevention, spread and control of infectious diseases among swine, defining the duties of persons and corporations in relation thereto and making appropriations consistent therewith and providing a penalty," approved March 7, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 434, by Mr. Myers:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission in Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission" approved March, 4th, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 435, by Mr. Myers:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 436, by Mr. Davis of Jay (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section two (2), section three (3) and section fifteen (15) of an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry," approved March 8, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 437, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act prescribing the amount of time county assessors shall be employed in the several counties of the state and fixing the compensation for services rendered.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 438, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act concerning the assignment of errors in the supreme and appellate courts.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 439, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act concerning demurrers, motions and exceptions in the civil and criminal practice.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 440, by Mr. Miles:

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications and wages of teachers in public elementary schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 441, by Mr. Miles (by request):

A bill for an act concerning teachers in public high schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 442, by Mr. Wood:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), seven (7), eight (8), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25) twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), and thirty-four (34), of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance, repair, improvement and betterment of ditches and drains," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 443, by Mr. Douglas:

A bill for an act establishing a state board of control for state charitable, insane, penal and reformatory institutions.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Benevolent and Scientific Institutions.

House Bill No. 444, by Mr. Haslanger.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 595, 596, 598, 599, 602, 607, 609 and 611, and repealing section 600 of an act entitled 'an act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905, of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith," approved March 9, 1907, and providing for the distribution and use of the funds accruing," approved March 6, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 445, by Mr. Curry:

A bill for an act to authorize and require county councils and boards of county commissioners to appropriate and pay money to certain county corn growers associations and horticultural societies.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township.

House Bill No. 446, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of bailiffs in any criminal, circuit or superior court in the state of Indiana: To fix their compensation, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 447, by Mr. Waltz:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning baggage and excess baggage; prescribing duties of common carriers in reference thereto and fixing their maximum charges for transporting the same; defining certain offenses and fixing the punishment therefor, and repealing all conflicting laws," approved March 8, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 448, by Mr. Cronin:

A bill for an act regulating the use of stages for the exhibition of moving pictures or for other purposes.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 449, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act granting and conferring additional powers upon the common council of cities of the second class as defined by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana entitled "An act concerning Municipal Corporations" approved March 6, 1905. and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, having a population of not less than sixty thousand nor more than sixty-eight thousand according to the last preceding United States census.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 450, by Mr. Vesey:

A bill for an act entitled an act to empower boards of school commissioners of cities of the first class and the boards of school trustees of cities of the second class to establish and maintain normal schools or teachers' training schools in connection with the public schools of such cities.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 451, by Mr. Buller:

A bill for an act to prevent persons, other than the owners, from having possession of, selling, or offering for sale, any motor vehicle or motor bicycle.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 452, by Mr. Kessler (by request):

A bill for an act to prescribe qualifications for registered pharmacists.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine, etc.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned until 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker of House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH.  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY AFTERNOON

February 6, 1917.

The House met pursuant to adjournment with the speaker in the chair.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 261, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 177, 178 and 180 of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved March 6, 1905, adding a supplementary section concerning the police pension fund, repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency," approved February 14, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 329, being:

A bill for an act to amend section five hundred and three (503) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 229, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections four and six (4 and 6) of an act entitled 'An act prescribing the powers and duties of coroners,' approved May 27th, 1852,

and providing an emergency,' approved February 9th, 1871, and to repeal sections two (2) and three (3) thereof. Also to amend sections ten and eleven of an act entitled "An act prescribing the powers and duties of coroners," approved May 27th, 1852, and to repeal sections five and seven (5 and 7) of said act, and abolishing coroners' juries," approved March 29, 1879.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 216, being:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend section 673 of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses, approved March 10, 1905'".

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 90, by Senator Hirsch, being:

A bill for an act defining the property owners who may have the privilege of paying for public improvements by installments.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, House Bill No. 215 was made a special order for 2:00 o'clock Monday, February 12, 1917.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 194 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Davis of Jay offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 194 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

1st. In line three (3) of section one (1) by striking out the words "the

assembly," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Governor of Indiana."

2nd. In line four (4), section one (1) by striking out the words and figures "the 20th, day of February, 1917," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "four months from the taking effect of this act."

DAVIS of Jay.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Walker made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, the author, to whom was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 194, with specific instructions to amend, reports that committee has amended said Engrossed House Bill No. 194 as follows:

1st. In line three (3) of section one (1) by striking out the words "the assembly," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Governor of Indiana."

2nd. In line four (4), section one (1) by striking out the words and figures "the 20th day of February, 1917," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "four months from the taking effect of this act."

WALKER.

Which amendment was concurred in by the House, and was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry Davis

of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total. 93.

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Walker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 194, by striking out the word "legislature" in line three (3) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Governor."

WALKER.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 44, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Jameson. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Myers offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 44, by striking out the word "March" before the figure fifteen (15) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "April."

MYERS.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 91, 101, 106, 120, 150, 151 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 297 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Clapp, Curry, Robertson, Ryan, Sipe, Turner, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 239, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller, of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Day. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Harris made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend title of House Bill No. 239 by striking from the title the words "to declare an emergency" and by striking out the "comma (,)" following the word "emergency;" by striking out of the title the words "All laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "certain laws in conflict therewith."

HARRIS.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was ordered engrossed.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 94, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett,



Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 85.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Durham, Grube, Henke, Robertson, Westfall. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Houghton made the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 94 by striking out the title as it now is and inserting in lieu thereof the following as the title thereof:

"A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act concerning allowances for the burial of soldiers, sailors and marines, and their widows or wives, who shall have died residents of this state and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, approved, February 9, 1915."

HOUGHTON.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 256, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McClaskey made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that amended Engrossed House Bill No. 256, be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to further amend said bill by striking out, in section

twenty-one (21) of the amended bill all words beginning with the word "be" in line thirty-three (33) and ending with the word "which" in line thirty-seven (37) and by inserting in lieu thereof the words, "be entitled to a filing fee of twenty-five cents (25c) for filing each and every application for the registration of any motor vehicle or motor bicycle, but shall be entitled to no fee for the acknowledgment of said application; that said filing fee,"

McCLASKEY.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McClaskey made the following report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 256, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

McCLASKEY.

Which report was adopted by the House.

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous question.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harker, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler,

Hoffman, Hyland Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 64.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Baker, Bonham, Burt, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Durham, Gentry, Griffin, Habermel, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Wood. Total, 30.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 122, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Har-ker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke,

Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborne, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Ryan, Turner, Waltz, Mr. Speaker. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 220 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and

Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 75.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cook, Cronin, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, O'Leary, Turner, Waltz. Total, 15.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 189 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of

Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 91.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 248, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe,

Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Downey, Eisterhold, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Tucker, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 12.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down for the first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 106, by Senator English:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning public cemeteries, providing for the management and care of same; providing the manner in which a trust fund may be created; and prescribing certain penalties," approved March 9, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

The speaker handed down for the first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 120, by Senator Hudgins:

A bill for an act authorizing certain incorporated towns to contract with township trustees relative to the joint use of the schools of such towns and those of the township wherein such town is located, and relative to the joint operation of such schools and the division of the expense thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

The speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 101, by Senator Hirsch:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of 'An act to limit the charge which may be made for the transportation of passengers by any corporation, firm or individual owning or operating a railroad in whole or in part within this state, providing for the transportation of baggage, making it unlawful for any person to ride as a passenger without the payment of prescribed and published fares, providing for penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith,' approved February 25, 1909," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Railroads.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 151 by Senator Wolfson:

A bill for an act to provide for the organization of corporations for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires and of saving property, and life from conflagration.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 150 by Senator Thornton.

A bill for an act entitled "An act to regulate bridge tolls."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 91, by Senator Hudgins:

A bill for an act concerning municipal corporations, and matters properly connected therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, February 7, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker of House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING

February 7, 1917.

The House met at 9:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. W. Cauble, Secy. of Indiana Christian Missionary Association, Indianapolis.

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams,

Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 92.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Duffey, Geddes, Harmon, Kuhlman, Mendenhall, Sabor, Turner, Total, 8.

The speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miller of Howard, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 328, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

OVERMYER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 387, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

OVERMYER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 378, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

OVERMYER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 182, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Durham House Bill No. 265, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting in section five (5), line twelve (12), after the word trustees the words, "at least one of whom shall be a resident of the township outside of the corporate limits of such city or town if the township trustee resides within the corporate limits of such city or town."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 333, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 376, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommenda-

tion that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 29, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 296, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 208, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 365, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 232, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 111, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 150, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 419, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 197, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 400, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 371, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 250, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 339, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 351, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 336, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER:

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 64, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of lines ten (10) and eleven (11) of section one (1); by striking out of line fifteen (15) section one (1) the words "for intoxication" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "for habitual drunkenness;" by striking out line sixteen (16) of section one (1); by striking out of line twelve (12) section one (1) the letter "C" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "B;" by striking out of line thirteen (13) section one (1) the letter "D" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "C"; by striking out of line fourteen (14) section one (1) the letter "E" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "D;" by striking out of line fifteen (15) section one (1) the letter "F" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "E;" by striking out of line

seventeen (17) section one (1) the letter "H" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "F;" by striking out of line nineteen (19) section one (1) the letter "I" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "G." By striking out of line four (4) section (2) the word "resides" and inserting in lieu thereof "is holding office;" by inserting in line five (5) of section two (2) following the word "the" and preceding the word "circuit" the word "judicial;" by striking out of line six (6) section two (2) the words "when directed so to do by the Governor;" by striking out of line eleven (11) section two (2) the words "it shall be the duty of the" and by striking out all of lines twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and the word "same" of line sixteen (16), of said section two (2).

By striking out of line seventeen (17), section three (3) the words "at the time" and by striking out of line eighteen (18) the words "he files his answer" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "within three days thereafter" by striking out of line twenty-six (26), section three (3) the figure "1" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "3" and by adding the letter "s" to the word "day" in said line twenty-six (26) by striking out of line thirty-four (34), section three (3) the words "the chief" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "any," and by striking out of said line thirty-four (34) section three (3) the words "or in his absence" and by striking out of line thirty-five (35), section three (3) the words "or inability to act" and by inserting in line thirty-six (36), section three (3) following the word "of" the words "any other judicial circuit of."

By striking out of line five (5), section six (6) the words "authority having power" and by striking out all of line six (6) said section six (6) and inserting in lieu thereof the words



"Governor and such appointee shall be of the same political faith as the person removed."

By adding section nine and one half (9½) which shall read as follows:

Section 9½: No person shall be eligible to sign more than one petition against any office holder, or having signed a petition, shall not be permitted to testify before the grand jury against such office holder during any one term of office.

MILLER,  
Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Miller of Howard, the bill was recommended to the Committee on Judiciary A.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 332, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

N. T. MILLER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 411, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

N. T. MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

The speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 453, by Mr. Johnson of Grant:

A bill for an act amending section four hundred and seventy-one (471) of

"An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, (Sec. 2372 Burns' Revised Statute 1914).

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

House Bill No. 454, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to authorize the School Trustees of the several townships, towns and cities to levy a tax for school purposes, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 9, 1903.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 455, by Mr. Davis of Lake (by request):

A bill for an act concerning sanitary drinking fountains in public places and prohibiting public drinking cups.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine, etc.

House Bill No. 456, by Mr. Sambor:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 90 and 220 of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved March 6, 1905, and to prohibit the judge of the city court in cities of the first class from practicing law; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect," approved March 6, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 457, by Mr. Day (by request):

A bill for an act providing for a special levy of taxes by cities and towns for the installation of public comfort stations, swimming pools and drinking fountains in such cities and towns.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 458, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and government of a correctional institution, to be known as the Indiana state farm, providing for the care and confinement of prisoners therein, and the transfer of prisoners thereto," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 459, by Mr. Hyland (by request):

A bill for an act for the protection of women from insults in public places.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 460, by Mr. Douglas.

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax on gifts, inheritances, bequests, legacies, devises and successions in certain cases," approved February 28, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 461, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act concerning fees for city attorneys for prosecuting violations of city ordinances.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 462, by Mr. Eisterhold:

A bill for an act creating an insurance department, and transferring certain powers thereto.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 463, by Mr. Cook:

A bill for an act concerning courts of Vigo county; providing for the establishment of an additional superior court.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 464, by Mr. Hepler:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

Engrossed House Bill No. 78, together with Engrossed Senate Amendments, was handed down and the Engrossed Senate Amendments were read in full.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House concur in the Engrossed Senate Amendments.

Which motion prevailed.

The speaker declared that the House had now concurred in the Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 78.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 274, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the cleaning, clearing drifts and obstructions from and keeping open the channels of small streams of water not navigable and not exceeding seventy-five feet between the banks thereof, which flow through or between the lands owned by different

persons within the State of Indiana, conferring powers and imposing duties upon county surveyors in the matter of having such work done, providing for liens and the payment for such work, prescribing penalties for its violation, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith," approved February 27, 1903.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 181, being:

A bill for an act providing for a civil service commission in cities of the first class, fixing their duties, and fixing qualifications for members of the police and fire departments of such cities.

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 181, be amended as follows:

That the word "freeholder" be stricken out of line six (6), section one (1) of said bill.

SIFE.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 221, being:

A bill for an act providing for the regulation of trapping and for the protection of fur bearing animals and providing penalties for violation of the same, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Habermel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 221:

By striking out in line three (3) of section four (4), after the word "Feb-

ruary" the words "to the first day" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "to the twentieth day" also by striking out in line three (3) of section six (6) after the words "and the" the word "first" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twentieth."

HABERMEL.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 107, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the annual preparation and publication of an Indiana Year Book to include a summary of reports of state offices, boards, commissions, departments, bureaus and institutions together with statistics and data of the state's social, economic, political and governmental conditions; to be published in lieu of the publication of the reports of state's offices, boards, commissions, departments, bureaus and institutions.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Davis of Jay offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 107, by striking out in lines three (3) and four (4) of section one (1) the words "legislative and administrative information" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "public printing" and by striking out in lines ten (10) and eleven (11) of section two (2) the words "legislative and administrative information" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "public printing" and by striking out in line three (3) of section four (4) the words "legislative and administrative information" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "public printing."

DAVIS of Jay.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the motion was laid on the table.

Mr. Symons offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 107, by substituting in line three (3) section two (2), the word "December" for the word "October," and by adding to section three (3) the following proviso: "Provided, That nothing in this act shall prevent the preparation and printing, upon the approval of the Governor, of the annual reports of the state educational, charitable and correctionable institutions and of the reports and publications of the Board of State Charities as heretofore."

SYMONS.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 67, being:

A bill for an act granting women the right to vote for presidential electors and certain other officers, and to vote in certain elections.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Houghton offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 67, by striking out that part of the printed bill beginning with the word "delegates" on lines eight (8) and nine (9) of section one (1) thereof and ending with the word "convention" on line nine (9) of said section and by striking out section three (3) of said act and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in full force on and after the first day of October, 1917."

HOUGHTON.

Mr. Alldredge moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion was lost.

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

. Motion was carried.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Osborn offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 67, by inserting between the word "every" and the word "woman" in section one (1), line two (2), of printed bill the word "white."

OSBORN.

Mr. McGonagle moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Alldredge offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 67, as follows:

Strike out the words "shall be" after the word "reside" in line seven (7), section one (1), and the words "allowed to vote at such election" in line eight (8), in said section one (1), and strike out the words "canvassed and" in section two (2), line four (4), following the word "be."

ALLDREDGE.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendments, was ordered engrossed.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 39, by Senator Thornton which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Turner offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 39 be referred to a committee of one, the Chairman of the House Committee on Judiciary A, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

Insert in section one (1), line four (4), before the words "in this state" the words, "or the board of public works or common council of any city;" also,

Insert in section one (1), line six (6) before the words, "in the capacity" the words, "or the said board of public works or common council, respectively."

TURNER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, the chairman of the House Committee on "Judiciary A" to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 39 with specific instructions to amend as read, begs to report to the House that same has been amended as follows:

Insert in section one (1), line four (4), before the words "in this state" the words "or the board of public works or common council of any city;" also

Insert in section one (1), line six (6), before the words, "in the capacity" the words "or the said board of public works or common council, respectively."

MILLER.

The House concurred in the report.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axhy, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller,

Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 80.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Gorski, Harker, Hartke, Houghton, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Sambor, Wood, Wright of Randolph.  
Total 10.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the title to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 39 be amended to read as follows:

A bill for an act prohibiting any attorney employed by the Board of County Commissioners of any county in this state, or any member of a firm of attorneys to which such attorney belongs, from practicing before such board, and to prohibit any city attorney or any member of a firm to which such city attorney belongs from practicing before the Board of Public Works or City Council of such city.

MILLER of Howard.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Woods House Bill No. 318 was recommitted to the committee on Reformatory Institutions, for further action.

Mr. McNagny made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 344, be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary A, the committee to which it was originally referred, for further consideration.

McNAGNY.

Which motion prevailed.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 238, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis, of Jay Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Burt, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Westfall. Total, 27.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 240 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of

Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 84.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Curry. Total 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 225, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Burt, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg,

McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total 30.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. McGonagle offered the following amendment:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move to amend the title to House Bill No. 225, by adding after the word "Governor" in line two (2), the following "and making an appropriation therefor."

**MCGONAGLE.**

Which motion prevailed.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 115 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Green offered the following amendment:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move to amend House Bill No. 115, by striking out the word "shall" in line four (4) of section three (3) of the printed bill and substituting therefor the word "may."

**GREEN.**

The amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Westfall moved the previous question which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Bayer, Behmer, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Green, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Baker, Buller, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Day, Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Myers, Overmyer, Sambor, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 28.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House adjourned to meet at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning, February 8, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH.

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH.

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## THURSDAY MORNING.

February 8, 1917.

The House met at 9:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. P. Baron, of Holy Trinity Church, Edinburg, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 95.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Geddes, Mendenhall. Total, 5.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.



On motion of Mr. Miles the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committee to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 214, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 370, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 331, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line one (1), in section four (4), the words and figures "six thousand dollars (\$6,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "five thousand dollars (\$5,000)." And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 396, has had the same under consideration

and begs leave to report the bill back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 342, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 281, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 448, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 372, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 292, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 106, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 441, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 450, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 390, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word, "any" in line three (3), section one (1), the word "false."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 298, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting in line six (6), section four (4), after the words "that state fire marshal" the following words "and his deputies and assistants."

By inserting after word "circuit" line twelve (12), section four (4), the words "superior or criminal."

By striking out the word "net" line five (5), section five (5), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "gross" and inserting after the word "company" in line six (6), section five (5) the following words "received on fire risks written in the state, after deducting therefrom return premiums and considerations received from reinsurances."

By inserting in line three (3), section six (6) after the word "licensed" the following words "authorized or incorporated," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 416, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 422, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 327, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 417, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 373, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER.

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 427, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 350, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 227, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 435, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 464, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 343, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 323, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 380, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 423, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 401, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 407, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 402, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

In line two (2), after the word town add "and cities of the fifth class" and in line seven (7) strike out the word "five" and insert the word "four." In line ten strike out the words "a city" and insert the words "cities of the first, second, third and fourth classes" and in line fourteen (14) strike out the word "eight" and insert the word "six."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 440, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 120, by Senator Hudgins, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 2, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 391, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman).

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 334, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the

House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman).

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 308, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman).

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 377, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman).

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 374, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman).

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 445, has had the

same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman).

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 454, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman.)

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 388, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS,  
(Acting Chairman.)

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 358, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SWAIN.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 279, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SWAIN.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 381, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SWAIN.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 282, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out the word "five" in line nine (9), section one (1) and insert the word "four" (4).

Strike out the figure "five" (5) in line nine (9), section one (1) and insert the figure "four" (4), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

SWAIN.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 399, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

The majority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was re-

ferred House Bill No. 1, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON,  
HOUGHTON,  
WALKER,  
SAMBOR,  
BARTEL,  
KUHLMAN,  
O'LEARY,  
VESEY,  
KRIEG.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 1, has has the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of section two (2) and renumbering section three (3) as section two (2), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

TURNER,  
ALLDREDGE.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was not carried and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 124, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the

House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON,  
KUHLMAN,  
ALLDREDGE,  
VESEY,  
TURNER,  
HOUGHTON,  
JAMESON.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 124, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that that the bill do pass.

SAMBOR,  
WALKER,  
BARTEL,  
O'LEARY,  
KRIEG,  
JINNETT.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was carried and the minority report was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 236, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of line eighty-one (81) after the word "respectively" all of lines 82, 83, and 84 of section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof "from the

date of the approval of the final assessment roll by the board of public works of such city, or by the common council in cities which do not have a board of public works," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON,  
KUHLMAN,  
ALLDREDGE,  
BARTEL,  
VESEY,  
TURNER,  
O'LEARY,  
KRIEG,  
HOUGHTON,  
SAMBOR.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 236, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WALKER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was not carried and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes to which was referred House Bill No. 315, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

(1) By making all that part of section one (1) of the bill as introduced, after the enacting clause section two (2) of

said act, and inserting in lieu thereof after the enacting clause and as section one thereof the following: "Whenever the owners of a majority of the lands affected by any drainage system in any county shall petition the board of county commissioners of such county that the ditches and drains making up such drainage system be maintained and cleaned under the provisions of this act, the county commissioners shall make an order that the drains and ditches making up such drainage system shall be maintained and cleaned under the provisions hereof, and thereafter such drains and ditches shall be cleaned and proceedings had with respect thereto as hereinafter provided. Provided, that when any such drainage system is being maintained under the provisions of this act and the owners of a majority of the lands affected thereby shall petition such county commissioners that such drains and ditches shall be brought within the operation of any other law, the county commissioners shall thereupon make and order and thereafter such ditches and drains shall be cleaned and maintained pursuant to the provisions of such other law."

(2) By inserting after the word "surveyor" in line two (2), section two (2) the following "or any qualified engineer appointed a deputy surveyor by the board of county commissioners."

(3) By inserting after the word "made" in line fifteen (15) section two (2) the following "in making such allotments the surveyor shall take into consideration all tile drains comprised in said system and where any land owner shall have tiled or shall thereafter tile his entire allotment according to the provisions of any law of the State of Indiana, he shall be exempt from further allotment. Provided, that such owner shall properly maintain his said tile drain."

(4) By inserting after the word "day" in line thirty-three (33), section three (3) the following: "and not to exceed two



dollars (\$2) per day for the services of each necessary assistant.

(5) By striking out after the word "expense" in line seven (7) section six (6) the words "before the 31st day of August each year" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "immediately."

(6) By inserting after the word "so" in line eight (8) of section six (6), "upon notice in writing from the township trustee served upon such owner."

(7) By striking out all that part of section seven (7) down to the second word "for" in line two (2) thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "The trustee shall receive his regular per diem for days and parts of days."

(8) By striking out the word "August" line sixteen (16) section eleven (11) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "September."

(9) By striking out all of section eleven (11) after the word "year" in line 16, of section eleven (11).

(10) By renumbering the sections of said act, making section two (2), section three (3) thereof and continuing the same throughout the act. All amendments herein suggested are to the sections and lines as numbered in the original bill and when so amended that said bill do pass.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 126, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MCCLASKEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 369, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report

the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, to which was referred House Bill No. 242, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

READ.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred House Bill No. 307, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MYERS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 432, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 393, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words and figures "twenty-five (25)" in line twenty-one (21) of section one (1), and inserting in

lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty (20)" and by striking out the words and figures "four and two-fifths per cent (4 2-5%)," and by inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "five (5)."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred House Bill No. 338, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MYERS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on State Medicine, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 162, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding to section one (1) the following, to-wit: And the state board of health shall have power to discharge any health commissioner for intemperance, drug addiction, failure to collect vital statistics, failure to answer letters of the state board of health; or failure to enforce health laws, rules or ordinances, or to keep records. Said discharge shall not be made until a hearing has been given to the accused after seven day's notice of said hearing.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

READ,  
JINNETT,  
KESSLER,  
JOHNSON,  
HESSONG,  
GRUBE,  
HENKE.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Medicine, Health, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 162, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

COOPER,  
COGGINS,  
ADAMS,  
GENTRY,  
GEDDES.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was carried and the minority report was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House bill No. 465, by Mr. Walker:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 601 of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905," approves March 2, 1907.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 466, by Mr. Houghton:

A bill for an act to provide for the levying of a license tax on corporations for the privilege of exercising corporate franchises or of doing business in this state.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 467 by Mr. Yoder:

A bill for an act concerning the manufacturing, handling, safeguarding, sale and distribution of dairy products.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

House Bill No. 468 by Mr. Habermel (by request):

A bill for an act providing for the cutting down and destroying by owners of land, of all noxious weeds and growths along both sides of all fences constructed along public highways and along the owner's side of all partition fences.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

Joint Resolution No. 5.

A Joint Resolution declining the gift of certain lands.

Whereas, William H. Bower, deceased, late of Jackson county, by his last will bearing date of November 25, 1912, which has been duly probated, and recorded in the office of the clerk of the Jackson circuit court, devised to the State of Indiana, a tract of land containing two hundred (200) acres and situate in said county, subject to the life estate of his widow, on condition, that the state establish and maintain a state experimental farm for the diffusion of knowledge on the lines of agriculture best suited to the farm and soil, for the benefit of the farmers of the state; and,

Whereas, said land is not of great value, and it is deemed inexpedient to establish and maintain an experimental farm at said place; therefore,

Section 1. Be it Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, that said devise of land to the state of Indiana be declined, and all claim and interest on the part of the

state under said will in and to said land is hereby relinquished and released.

House Bill No. 469, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act authorizing a survey of all lands owned by the state.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 470 by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act concerning sureties on bonds and recognizance and providing for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 471 by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act to amend section 217 of an act entitled, "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6th, 1905, and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 472, by Mr. Kuhlman (by request):

A bill for an act to establish the office of probation officer for the city court in every city of the first class in the State of Indiana; providing for his appointment, defining his duties and fixing his salary, and fixing time when the same shall take effect.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 473, by Mr. Kuhlman (by request):

A bill for an act to establish the office of city jailer of every city of the first class in the State of Indiana; providing for his appointment, defining his duties,

fixing his salary, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict and fixing time when same shall take effect.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 474, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act concerning juries in city courts of cities of the first class in the State of Indiana, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 475, by Mr. Miles:

A bill for an act to facilitate the settlement of estates of decedents, and the collection of taxes, and to protect the funds of guardianships and to ascertain what funds if any are on deposit with any bank or trust company in said matters.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 476, by Mr. Griffin (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the title to real estate.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 477, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act authorizing counties to appropriate money for state parks.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 478, by Mr. Read:

A bill for an act concerning public parks and donations thereto by township trustees.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 479, by Mr. O'Leary:

A bill for an act to prevent the contamination of public and private water supplies and for the regulation of sewerage disposal.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 480, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section number sixteen (16) of an act entitled, "An act concerning real property and the alienation thereof," approved May 6, 1852,' approved March 11, 1875," approved March 5, 1913.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 301, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections one (1), three (3), four (4), seven (7) and ten (10) of an act entitled an act for the establishment and maintenance of public libraries in cities and incorporated towns, providing for the levy of a tax for the support of the same, providing for the appointment of public library boards, prescribing the duties and powers of the same, and providing for libraries already established to operate under the provisions of this act, making the treasurers of cities and incorporated towns the treasurers of libraries operating under this act, requiring the filing of annual reports by such treasurers, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an

emergency, approved March 4, 1901, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 9, 1903," approved March 6, 1911.

The bill was read a second time and was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 383, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Wood, House Bill No. 289 was recommitted to the Committee on Legislative Apportionment.

House Bill No. 106, being:

A bill for an act creating a department of conservation, defining its powers and duties, and abolishing certain offices, boards and departments.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Miller offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 106 be amended as follows:

That the words "shall be and hereby" in line two (2) of section one (1) be stricken out.

That after the word "commission" and before the word "to" in line five (5) of section three (3) be inserted the words "and the Governor."

That after the word "violate" and before the word "such" in line fourteen (14) of section six (6), be inserted the words "any of."

That after the word "fish" and before the word "and" in line six (6) of section seven (7), be inserted the word "birds."

That the words "The report may be published and the expenses thereof paid out of the appropriation for the commissioners of public printing, binding and stationery" in lines six (6), seven (7) and (8) eight of section ten (10) be stricken out.

That the words "and parks" in line eleven (11) of section twelve (12) be stricken out and in lieu thereof the words "parks and waters" be inserted.

That there be added after the word "horticulture" in line three (3) of section sixteen (16), the words "and to study the insects of the State."

That after the word "dealers" and before the word "engaged" in line forty-seven (47) of section sixteen (16), be inserted the words "or agents."

That there shall be added at the end of line fifty (50) in section sixteen (16), the word "annually."

That after clause twelve (12) and line fifty-four (54) in section sixteen (16) there be inserted a new clause as follows:

"13. To study the beneficial insects and disseminate knowledge thereof," and to renumber clauses "thirteen (13) and fourteen (14)" as "fourteen (14)" and "fifteen (15)."

That the words "parks and other lands" in line four (4) of section seventeen (17) be stricken out, and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the words "and parks."

That lines twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25) of section nineteen (19) be stricken out and that in lieu thereof there be inserted the words "exclusively for the maintenance of the division of fish and game."

That the word "or" in line eight (8) of section twenty (20), be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof the word "of."

That after the word "and" and before the word "determine" in line twenty-

four (24) of section twenty (20) there be inserted the word "to."

That the words "by muzzling" be stricken out of lines twenty-five and twenty-six (26) in section twenty (20).

That clause six (6) of section twenty (20) be stricken out and clauses "six (6)" and "seven (7)" in said section be renumbered as clauses "seven (7)" and "eight (8)."

That after the word "premises" and before the word "the" in line eleven (11) of section twenty-one (21), be inserted the words "The county veterinarian shall be subject to removal by the conservation commission for failure in any respect to perform his duties."

That before the word "for" in line twelve (12) of section twenty-one (21) be inserted the words "and necessary traveling expenses."

That after the word "or" and before the word "any" in line four (4) of section twenty-two (22) be inserted the word "destroy."

That section twenty-three (23) be stricken out.

That sections twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22) be renumbered as clauses eight (8) and nine (9) of section twenty (20), and that sections 24, 25 and 26 be renumbered as sections 21, 22 and 23.

MILLER.

Mr. McNagny moved the bill be made a special order for 2:00 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Kimmel moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The amendment was adopted and the bill was ordered Engrossed, with the amendment.

House Bill No. 173, being:

A bill for an act concerning county superintendents of schools, their quali-

fications for office, compensation, and providing for the appointment of clerks, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. McClaskey offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 173 by striking out in section one (1), line eleven (11) of the printed bill, the words "four (4)" and insert in lieu thereof the words "two (2)" and also in section two (2), line six (6) by striking out the words "or more" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "to seventy-seven thousand (77,000)."

McCLASKEY.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harmon offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 173 by striking out all that part of section one (1) after the word "superintendent" in line eight (8) and ending with the word "work" in line eleven (11) thereof.

HARMON.

The amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Durham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 173 by striking out the colon after the word "work" in line eleven (11) of section one (1) of the printed bill, and inserting a semi-colon in lieu thereof. And by striking out all of line eleven (11) of section one (1) beginning with the word "Provided" and all of lines twelve (12) and thirteen (13) in said section one (1)

up to the word "shall" in said line thirteen (13).

DURHAM.

The amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Cravens offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 173 by inserting between the words "superintendent" and "shall" in line eight (8) of section one (1) the word "or."

Cravens.

Mr. Kessler moved to lay the motion on the table.

Mr. Cravens and Mr. Turner demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 58.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bonham, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham,

Houghton, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Woods. Total, 31.

The amendment is laid on the table.

Mr. Durham offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 173 by striking out all of section two (2) of the bill as printed and amended and by renumbering section three (3), four (4) and five (5), as section two (2), three (3) and four (4) respectively.

DURHAM.

Mr. Kessler moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Miltenberger moved the previous question.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the bill pass to engrossment?

It was so ordered and the bill, with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 26, by Senator Thornton, being:

A bill for an act prohibiting chairmen of political parties from practicing before certain boards.

The bill was read a second time and was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 36, by Senator Metzger, being:

A bill for an act for the relief of Herman E. Martin, Cass county, Indiana, to authorize and direct the Governor to issue to him a patent for certain real estate and relinquish the claims of the

State of Indiana to said real estate, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House, that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 15, 17, 23, 34, 51, 75, 115, 125, 272 and Engrossed House Bill No. 39, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 15, by Senator Hagerty:

A bill for an act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 107, 108, 109, 111, 112 and 265" of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations" approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section three of an act entitled "An act to amend section 110, 115, and 118" of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations, approved March 6, 1905," approved March 12, 1907, and declaring an emergency, approved March 8, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 75, by Senator Lanz:

A bill for an act to authorize banks or trust companies, or a bank and a trust company organized under the laws of the State of Indiana to consolidate and to name the consolidated bank or trust company and to increase or to decrease their joint capital stock, re-

pealing all laws and parts of laws conflicting herewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 17, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act providing for temporary loans in certain cases by the board of school trustees or other proper authorities of any school town or school city.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 34, by Senator Laney:

A bill for an act fixing the time that the term of office of the clerk of the circuit court shall begin.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 23, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act to encourage and regulate the marketing and distribution of food and food products, by making it unlawful for municipalities of the first and second class, and the officers thereof, to exact or enforce license charges from original producers for the sale or distribution of such food or food products from house to house and upon the public highways of incorporate cities of the first and second class; defining certain violations thereof as misdemeanors, and fixing penalties of such violation; providing penalties for the violation thereof by municipal officers and declaring an emergency.



Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51 by Senator Nejd, for first reading:

A bill for an act to authorize cities and towns having a paid fire force or department and a fireman's pension fund, to tax the business of foreign insurance companies for the maintenance, use and benefit of such pension fund, and to pass ordinances prescribing rules and regulations for the assessment and collection of such tax, and penalties for the non-payment thereof, and for non-compliance with such rules and regulations.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 115, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act to reimburse Henry W. Bullock for money paid out and expended by him for investigating the comparative efficiency, cost and justice of laws concerning industrial accidents and compensation of injured employees and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 125, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act concerning the election, term and official bonds of township trustees.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 272, by Senator Reser:

A bill for an act authorizing counties to appropriate money for state parks.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township.

On motion of Mr. Cravens, it was ordered that the progress of Senate bills in the House be shown on the House calendar.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, February 9, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY MORNING.

February 9, 1917.

The House met at 9:30 o'clock, with the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Frederick H. Diehm, Pastor of Reformed Church, Huntington, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers,

O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 97.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Downey, Gentry, Mendenhall. Total, 3.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Bartel, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 183, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 313, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
KIMMEL,  
BULLER  
TURNER,  
McNAGNY,  
LAFUZE,  
JOHNSON,  
HOUGHTON.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 313, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DYNES.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was carried and the minority report was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Counties and Townships, to which was referred House Bill No. 276, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Counties and Townships, to which was referred House Bill No. 129, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred House Bill No. 78, begs leave to report that it has compared the enrolled bill with the original House

engrossed bill and finds said bill correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 266, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 121, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 271, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of section one (1), line thirty-three (33), the words "Tax-payers" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "qualified electors."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was re-

ferred House Bill No. 163, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 284, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of section one (1), line five (5) the word "other."

By striking out of line forty (40), section one (1) the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof, the word "five."

By striking out of line forty (40), said section, the figure "3" and by inserting in lieu thereof the figure "5" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 284, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said title be amended as follows:

By striking out of line eighteen (18), of the title the word "March" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "April."

By striking out of line eighteen (18) of title, the figure "2" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "0" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 353, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred House Bill No. 275, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred House Bill No. 368, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding to section twenty-two (22) the following:

The amount or amounts of money which may be necessary to clean or repair any ditch or drain and to create an emergency fund to keep such ditch or drain in a state of repair, as hereinbefore provided, shall be raised by levying a flat or uniform rate upon all agricultural lands, town or city lots, streets, alleys, highways, public grounds, and railroad rights of way which may be benefited. For purposes of taxation each town or city lot shall be deemed to be equivalent to one (1) acre of agricultural land and shall be assessed at a uniform rate per acre or per lot, as the case may be. The acreage com-

prised in all highways, streets, alleys, public grounds or railroad rights of way shall be estimated and assessed proportionately. The rate of taxation for emergency repairs shall in no case exceed fifty cents (50c) per acre, except as otherwise hereinbefore provided.

Also by striking out the word "That" after the figures "41" in line one (1) of section forty-one (41) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "The channels of all ditches and drains shall be kept free and clear of all weeds, shrubs, trees or other natural growths and";

Also by inserting after the word "any" in line two (2) of section forty-one (41) the word "tile";

Also by striking out all of section forty-eight (48) and inserting the following:

Section 48. Any proceedings for the repair or cleaning of any ditch or drain commenced under and by virtue of any former law shall be concluded and determined in accordance with the provisions of such former law, and nothing contained in this act shall be construed to affect pending litigation.

Also by striking out all of section forty-nine (49) and inserting the following:

Section 49. That an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of all ditches and drains, except dredge ditches, by the several township trustees," approved March 8, 1915, be and the same is hereby repealed.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 455, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the

same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

READ.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 366, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 310, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of section two (2) thereof and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 409, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 262, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 52, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 91, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "fourth and" in line four (4) of section one (1) of said engrossed bill, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was recommitted House Bill No. 104, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 458, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 352, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 318, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 364, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 223, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

(1) By adding at the end of section one after the word "days" the words "or both such fine and imprisonment."

(2) By striking out all of section two (2) thereof and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 465, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "November" in line eight (8), of section one (1) of said bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "December."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 405, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 429, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 428, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 459, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 444, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 226, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 302, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 410, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

The majority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

GENTRY,  
DURHAM,  
HARKER,  
WILLIAMS,  
SIPE,  
CRAVENA.  
BULLER.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by striking out of lines six (6) and seven (7) in section two (2) the words and figures "sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)."

By striking out of lines five (5) and six (6) in section seven (7) the words and figures "sixty thousand (\$60,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)."

By striking out of line eleven (11) section seven (7) the figures "\$30,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000."

By striking out of line twelve (12), section seven (7) the figures "\$30,000"

and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000" and that when so amended said bill do pass.

McGONAGLE.  
McNAGNY,  
KIMMEL,  
HARTKE,  
BLACKMORE,  
DILWORTH.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report.

Mr. Habermel and Mr. Osborn demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Blackmore, Clapp, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Duffey, Green, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kimmel, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Scott, Swain, Symons, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Mr. Speaker. Total, 34.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagney, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Yoder. Total, 58.

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 320, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line six (6), section one (1) the following word, to-wit: "January" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "March" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 418, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in line four (4), section one (1) the words "thirty days" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "sixty days" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 466, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in section five (5), line eleven (11) and twelve (12) the following words "return premiums and reinsurance" and by inserting in lieu



of the words stricken out the word "losses."

By adding to section five (5) the following:

"Provided this act shall not apply to fraternal beneficiary societies and farmers mutual fire, cyclone and live stock insurance companies."

By striking out in section six (6), line seven (7) the following words "one-eighth of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{8}$  of 1%) and by inserting in lieu of the words stricken out the following words "one-half of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1%)."

By striking out in section ten (10), lines thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33) and thirty-four (34) the following words: "The amount of return premiums and reinsurance actually paid in the State of Indiana, and in the case of domestic life insurance companies the total amount of losses actually paid within the State" and by inserting in lieu of the words stricken out the following: "in the case of life insurance companies a statement of the total losses within the State and in the case of insurance companies other than life insurance companies a statement of the return premiums and reinsurance actually paid in the State of Indiana."

By striking out in section ten (10), line fourteen (14) the word "August" and by inserting in lieu of the word stricken out the word "February."

By striking out in section ten (10), lines sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), the following words "June thirtieth" and inserting in lieu of the words stricken out "December thirty-first."

By striking out in section ten (10), line forty-five (45) the word "earnings" and by inserting in lieu of the word stricken out the word "profits."

By striking out in section ten (10), subdivision seven (7), line seven (7) the word "January first" and by inserting

in lieu of the words stricken out "December thirty-first."

By striking out in section thirteen (13), line nine (9) the word "auditor" and by inserting in lieu of the word stricken out the following "state board of tax commissioners."

By striking out in section fourteen (14), line eight (8) the following words "auditor of state" and by inserting in lieu of the words stricken out "state board of tax commissioners."

By striking out in section fourteen (14) all after the word "jurisdiction" in line nine (9) and by changing the comma after the word "jurisdiction" to a period.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER,  
WOOD,  
HARKER,  
KIMMEL,  
JINNETT,  
HOUGHTON,  
SIPE,  
DAVIS,  
YODER.

#### Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 466, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

M McNAGNY,  
BONHAM.  
HARTKE.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 467, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be referred to Judiciary A.

SWAIN.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred House Bill No. 362, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 481, by Mr. Blackmore:

A bill for an act providing for the establishing of the office of attorney-general, providing for his appointment and fixing his powers and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 482, by Mr. McGonagle.

A bill for an act to provide for safety to life and property in this State in the use and construction of steam boilers; creating a board of boiler rules to prescribe rules and regulations for boilers used in this State, which will be uniform with other state rules now in existence, in order to provide for the free interchange of boilers between

states; to define the power of the board of boiler rules; to provide penalties for the violation of this act and rules and regulations of the board of boiler rules, and making appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 483, by Mr. Hartke:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred and thirteen (613) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 484, by Mr. Harmon:

A bill for an act fixing the term for township trustees and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Counties and Townships.

House Bill No. 485, by Mr. Buller:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act for protecting county auditors against any civil or criminal liability by reason of any warrants issued by them in good faith upon the order and authority of the board of county commissioners of this State and repealing all laws in conflict therewith,' and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 486, by Mr. Habermel:

A bill for an act entitled an act concerning the organization of associations of automobile owners for the purpose of co-operative insurance of automobiles against loss or damage by fire or light-

ning, theft or collision, and for the co-operative insurance of the members of such association against any liability that may accrue against them by reason of the injury of any person or the damage of any property of another, arising out of the ownership or operation of such automobile, prescribing powers and duties of such association, providing for a reserve fund to protect the policy holders of such association; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 487, by Mr. Habermel:

A bill for an act concerning liability and workmen's compensation insurance and certain indemnifying contracts, and the reserves, assets and liabilities thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 488, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act to provide for the prevention and control of forest fires.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 489, by Mr. Wood:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning rural loan and savings associations," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 490, by Mr. Wood:

A bill for an act providing for the relief from taxation of commissioners, or other officers appointed by the courts of the State of Indiana, in proceedings to sell property and disburse the proceeds, and providing the manner of procedure.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 491, by Mr. Davis of Jay:

A bill for an act concerning the duties of public utilities in the State of Indiana; granting powers to and imposing duties upon the public service commission with reference thereto; providing for investigations and hearings; fixing the burden of proof in certain cases; imposing duties upon certain persons, firms, and corporations from their use of public highways; defining the jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission with reference thereto; declaring a nuisance in certain cases and defining penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 492, by Mr. Davis of Jay:

A bill for an act to provide for the repair and maintenance of free gravel, macadam, and free turnpike roads in Indiana, constituting the board of commissioners of each county in the state, a board of directors of such roads, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 493, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 494, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act concerning courts of limited jurisdiction and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 495, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act concerning justices of the peace and constables; regulating their number and fixing their compensation.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 496, by Mr. Dilworth:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section twenty-two (22) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of savings banks and the safe and proper management of their affairs,' approved May 12th, 1869," approved March 9, 1903.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 497, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act concerning the taxation of certain insurance premiums.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 498, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act limiting the issuance of bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness payable by taxation, for the construction of free gravel or macadamized roads, providing the order of sale for such bonds, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 499, by Mr. Kessler:

A bill for an act to amend section eighteen (18) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of township highways," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 500, by Mr. Gentry (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications and wages of teachers in public high schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 501, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act concerning granting and renewal of license to sell intoxicating liquor and pro-rating the fee therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 502, by Mr. Eisterhold:

A bill for an act providing for the appointment of clerical assistants in certain cities, fixing their compensation and legalizing certain acts thereof and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 503, by Mr. Cook:

A bill for an act to provide for pensions for women having dependent children in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 504, by Mr. Winesburg:

A bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of Oaklawn cemetery association situated in North Manchester, Wabash County, Indiana, and to validate all acts and proceedings of its board of directors.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 505, by Mr. Miltenberger:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend sections 107, 108, 109, 111, 112 and 265, of an act entitled an act concerning municipal corporations,'" approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 110, 115 and 116 of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved Mar. 5, 1905," approved March 12, 1907, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

February 9, 1917.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 339, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred and fourteen (114) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 351, being:

A bill for an act for the relief of Sylvester Francis, late trustee of Milford Township, LaGrange County.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 332, being:

A bill for an act to regulate advertising.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 211, being:

A bill for an act concerning executions and exemptions and providing for liens in certain cases in favor of judgment creditors, and collecting same.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 328, being:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913, and legalizing amounts heretofore paid out of the gravel road repair fund for repair of free gravel or macadam roads within the corporate limits of incorporated towns and cities and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 250, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5) and six (6) and the title of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913, providing for the establishment of a railroad com-

mission and a public utilities commission and fixing their powers and duties.

The bill was read a second time.

The following motion was made by Mr. Behmer:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 250:

By striking out the word "or" after the word "city" in line twenty-three (23) of section one (1) in the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma; also,

By inserting after the word "town" in line twenty-three (23) of section one (1) a comma and the following words and punctuation "county, township or other political subdivision of the State of Indiana."

BEHMER.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 182, being:

A bill for an act in regard to the display of flags on school houses.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 336, being:

A bill for an act providing for the exemption of real estate and personal property of Greek letter fraternities and other societies connected with a college or university, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 411, being:

A bill for an act to amend section fifty-five (55) of an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain State and county

officers, fixing certain fees to be taxed in the offices and salaries of officers therein named, providing for certain employes in certain public offices and fixing their compensation, defining certain duties and liabilities of officers and persons therein named, providing for the distribution of certain moneys, making certain appropriations, declaring certain violations of the provisions of this act to be a misdemeanor and prescribing penalties therefor, providing the time when the same shall take effect as to certain offices therein named, and repealing all conflicting laws," approved March 11, 1895.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 181, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Douglas offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 181, by referring the bill to its author, a committee of one, with specific instructions to amend the same by striking out in lines twelve (12) and thirteen (13) of section one (1) the words "the mayor of the said city" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the Governor of Indiana."

DOUGLAS.

Mr. Kimmel moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion to lay on the table prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp,

Coggins, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 63.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Gorski, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Waltz. Total, 23.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 301, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry,

Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Southard, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Swain, Symons, Tucker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 172, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

I move that printed Engrossed House Bill No. 172 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend said bill by striking out the words "breaks and" in line three (3) of section one (1).

McNAGNY.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Symons offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee of one, the author, to which was referred Engrossed Printed

House Bill No. 172, with specific instructions to amend has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report said bill has been amended as follows:

By striking out the words "breaks and" in line three (3) of section one (1).

SYMONS.

The report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 91.

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 71, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Behmer, Bonham, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hoffman, Hougham, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McClaskey, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 44.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Buller, Burt, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Swain, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Williams, Wright of Clay. Total, 45.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 375, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.



Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 90.

There were no votes in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 107, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham,

Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Burt, Cronin, Eisterhold, Gorski, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Jacoby, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Walker, Waltz. Total, 15.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 261, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon,

Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Hougham, O'Leary, Osborn. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Hyland offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 261, by striking out the words "repealing all laws in conflict herewith" in line five (5) of printed bill.

HYLAND.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 90, by Senator Hirsch, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller,

Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 88.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 10, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry,

Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 92.

None voting in the negative:

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 128, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that printed Engrossed House Bill No. 128 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend said bill as follows:

By striking out of line fourteen (14), section five (5) the words "gross ignorance or inefficiency in his profession."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 128, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the showing that the bill has been amended as follows:

By striking out of line fourteen (14), section five (5), the words "gross ignorance or inefficiency in his profession."

MILLER of Howard.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Cook, Cronin, O'Leary, Osborn, Williams. Total, 6.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Governor:

Mr. Speaker and members of the House of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House enrolled Bill No. 78, and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

February 9, 1917.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 329, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagay, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan,

Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 92.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 77 and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 4, 5 and 7 and House Enrolled Bill No. 78.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, February 12, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

MONDAY AFTERNOON.

February 12, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. H. Winders, pastor of Downey Avenue Christian Church, Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Dilworth, Gorski, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Overmyer, Ryan, Tucker, Waltz, Wright of Randolph. Total, 11.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, February 9th, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 11, by Senator Simmons, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 86.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Miller of Howard, Read, Westfall, Williams, Wood. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 215, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Houghton made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to refer House Bill No. 215 to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend said bill by striking out all that part of section one (1) of the printed bill, beginning

with the word "that" after the word "Indiana" in line two (2) thereof, and ending with the word "estate" on lines thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

That when any person who is being supported at public expense in a hospital for the insane or in the Indiana School for Feeble-Minded Youth or in the Indiana Village for Epileptics or in any other benevolent institution maintained by the State of Indiana, or who has died when an inmate of any such institution, is found to have an estate in charge of a trustee or guardian, which estate is not needed for the support in whole or in part of the husband, wife, children, parents, grandparents, grandchildren, brothers or sisters of such person, then the amount of expenses incurred in the State for the treatment and maintenance of such person shall be a charge against his estate both during his lifetime and after his death

HOUGHTON.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Houghton made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee of one, to whom was referred House Bill No. 215, with specific instructions to amend the same, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as follows:

By striking out all that part of section one (1) of the printed bill, beginning with the word "that" after the word "Indiana" in line two (2) thereof, and ending with the word "estate" on lines thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

That when any person who is being supported at public expense in a hospital for the insane or in the Indiana School for Feeble-Minded Youth or in the

Indiana Village for Epileptics or in any other benevolent institutions maintained by the State of Indiana; or who has died when an inmate of any such institution, is found to have an estate in charge of a trustee or guardian, which estate is not needed for the support in whole or in part of the husband, wife, children, parents, grandparents, grandchildren, brothers or sisters of such person, then the amount of expense incurred by the State for the treatment and maintenance of such person shall be a charge against his estate both during his lifetime and after his death.

McGONAGLE.

House concurs in the report.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder.

Total, 85.

Those voting for the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Mr. Speaker.  
Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 64, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of lines ten (10) and eleven (11) of section one (1); by striking out of line sixteen (16) section one (1) the words "for intoxication" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "for habitual drunkenness"; by striking out line seventeen (17) of section one (1); by striking out of line twelve (12) section one (1) the letter "C" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "B"; by striking out of line fourteen (14) section one (1) the letter "D" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "C"; by striking out of line fifteen (15) section one (1) the letter "E" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "D"; by striking out of line sixteen (16) section one (1) the letter "F" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "E"; by striking out of line eighteen (18) section one (1) the letter "H" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "F"; by striking out of line twenty (20) section one (1) the letter "I" in parenthesis and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "G."

By striking out of line two (2), section two (2) the words "any five" and by

striking out of line three (3), section two (2) the figure five (5) and the parenthesis and by inserting in lieu thereof "one per cent (1%) of the" and by inserting in line three (3), section two (2) following the word "electors" a comma, and the words "provided however, that no complaint shall be filed on relation of less than twelve (12) qualified electors."

By striking out of line six (6), section two (2) the word "resides" and inserting in lieu thereof "is holding office"; by inserting in line seven (7) of section two (2) following the word "the" and preceding the word "circuit" the word "judicial"; by striking out of line eight (8) and nine (9) section two (2) the words "when directed so to do by the Governor"; by striking out of line thirteen (13) section two (2) the words "it shall be" and by striking out all of lines fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17) and including the word "same" of line eighteen (18) of said section two (2).

By striking out of line seventeen (17), section three (3) the words "at the time" and by striking out of line eighteen (18) the words "he files his answer" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "within three days thereafter"; by striking out of line twenty-six (26) section three (3) the figure, (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "3" and by adding the letter "s" to the word "day" in said line twenty-six (26); by striking out of line thirty-three (33), section three (3) the words "the chief" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "any" and by striking out of said line thirty-three (33) section three (3) the words "or in his absence or inability to" and by striking out of line thirty-five (35) section three (3) the word "act" and by inserting in line thirty-six (36) section three (3) following the word "of" the words "any other judicial circuit of."

By striking out of line five (5), section six (6) the words "authority having pow-

er to fill" and by striking out all of line six (6) said section six (6) to the period and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Governor and such appointee shall be of the same political faith as the person removed."

By adding section nine and one-half (9½) which shall read as follows:

Section 9½. No person shall be eligible to sign more than one petition against any office-holder during any one year, provided, however, that no elector who has signed a petition or has appeared as relator in a complaint shall be permitted to withdraw from the petition or complaint, but seventy-five per cent (75%) of the petitioners or relators may by their request in writing dismiss any impeachment charge.

House concurred in the report.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to which was referred House Bills Nos. 128, 172, 182, 211, 250, 328, 332, 336, 339, 411, begs leave to report that it has compared the Engrossed Bills with the original House Bills and finds said bills correctly engrossed.

RUSSELL P. HARKER,  
Acting Chairman.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on the Affairs of the city of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 312, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

1. In line twenty (20), section one (1) strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "sixty".

2. In line seventeen (17), section one (1), after the word "work" and the period thereafter, insert the words "The other of said two members to be so ap-

pointed shall be nominated by the Judge of the Circuit Court of the District in which such city of the first-class is located."

3. In line twenty (20), section one (1) after the word "health" insert the words "and the Judge of such Circuit Court."

4. In line twenty-three (23), section (1) strike out the words "State Boards' nomination of such member" and in lieu thereof insert the following words "name of the nominee to membership."

5. In line twenty-four (24), section one (1) after the word "commissioners" insert the following words "made by each respectively such nominees to be residents of the State of Indiana."

6. In line twenty-eight (28), section one (1) strike out all of said line after the period therein.

7. Strike out all of lines 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in section one (1) to the period.

8. In line thirty-four (34), section one (1) strike out "April 15" and insert in lieu thereof "January 1."

9. In line thirty-six (36), section one (1) strike out the words and figures "April 15" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "January 1."

10. In line one (1) section two (2) strike out the words and figures "April 15" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "June 1."

11. In line sixteen (16) section two (2) after the word "salary" and before the word "of" insert the words "at the rate."

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

The majority of your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 37, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with



the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND,  
DILWORTH,  
KRIEG,  
HOUGHTON,  
WILLIAMS,  
EISTERHOLD,  
McCLASKEY.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 37, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE,  
McNAGNY,  
HARKER,  
BEHMER,  
MUSHETT,  
WALKER.

12. In lines seventeen (17) and eighteen (18), section two (2) strike out all that part following the word "during" and preceding the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof "the period of actual construction."

13. In line twenty-seven (27), section two (2) following the word "them" insert the words "for such preliminary work: Provided that not more than \$20,000.00 shall be so expended the first year."

14. In sub-division six (6), section (3) strike out all of said sub-division following line sixteen (16) of said sub-division and insert in lieu thereof the words "United States Public Health Service."

15. In line four (4) of sub-division eight (8), section three (3) strike out the words "Sewage disposal maintenance fund" and in lieu thereof insert the words "Sanitary District Bond Fund, hereinafter referred to."

16. After the word "works" in line four (4) of sub-division (11), section three (3) insert the following: "And sell any by-products derived from such garbage, filth, ashes or rubbish. Any revenue therefrom shall be paid into and become a part of sanitary district bond fund as hereinafter referred to."

17. After the word "provided" in line fourteen (14), section nine (9) insert the following: "the word 'court' as used in sections eight (8) and nine (9) of this act shall be construed to mean all the judges of the Superior Courts of the county in which said city of the first-class is located, or a majority of them sitting in general term. It shall be necessary for a majority of the judges of such Superior Court to concur in the finding or judgment rendered."

18. In section eighteen (18), strike out all of lines twelve (12), thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) of said section, to the period, and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "paid into and become a part of the sanitary district bond fund as hereinafter referred to."

19. In line ten (10), section twenty-one (21) strike out the word "three" and in lieu thereof insert the word "one."

20. In lines twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22) section twenty-one (21), strike out all from the colon down to the period.

21. In line twenty-two (22) of section twenty-two (22) insert after the word "the" and before the word "engineers" the following words "Board of Sanitary Commissioners" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Mr. Walker and Mr. Johnson of Grant demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Axby, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Clapp, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gorski, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Henke, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Lafuze, McNagney, Mason, Miltenberger, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Sambor, Swain, Symons, Walker, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total 35.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Bartel, Buller, Burtt, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, Osborn, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 54.

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 506, by Mr. Moore:

A bill for an act concerning the lowering, reduction and diminution of the waters and the water supply of natural or fresh water lakes.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rivers and Waters.

House Bill No. 507, by Mr. Clapp:

A bill for an act to regulate the sale and to prohibit the display of pistols, revolvers and other dangerous and deadly weapons.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 508, by Mr. McGonagle (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the selection and qualification of grand and petit jurors for the Circuit, Superior, Probate and Criminal Courts of the State of Indiana, fixing penalties for the violation of this act, and repealing all laws within the purview hereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 509, by Mr. Yoder:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the minimum wages of teachers in public schools' approved March 2, 1907, approved March 1, 1911;" and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the minimum wages of teachers in public schools," approved March 2, 1907," approved February 28, 1913, and making classification of teachers.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 510, by Mr. Yoder:

A bill for an act concerning legal holidays for public schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 511, by Mr. Coggins:

A bill for an act concerning the repair

and maintenance of free gravel and macadam roads.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 512, by Mr. Harmon:

A bill for an act concerning witnesses in civil actions, and procuring their attendance in other counties than that of their residence, and concerning their depositions, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 513, by Mr. Harmon (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred and fifty-six (256) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7th, 1881, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 514, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 419 of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905," approved March 11, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 515, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act providing for the removal and destruction of noxious weeds and growths along partition fences.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 516, by Mr. Mendenhall:

A bill for an act to regulate the adoption and sale of textbooks and to provide optional high school texts.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 517, by Mr. Mendenhall:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act providing for the building of sidewalks in incorporated towns," approved March 15, 1913, and repealing sections five (5) and six (6) thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 518, by Mr. Davis of Jay:

A bill for an act making it unlawful to erect or use any structure or other form of shelter while fishing in waters covered in whole or in part with ice.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 519, by Mr. Davis of Jay:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act authorizing the Indiana Board of Pharmacy to register assistant pharmacists as registered pharmacists in certain cases," approved March 4, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 520, by Mr. Westfall:

A bill for an act providing for the construction of highways on inter-county routes.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 521, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act concerning gathering of annual crops of products of husbandry.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 522, by Mr. Sambor (by request):

A bill for an act requiring all street railway companies to equip all cars with automatic life-saving fenders.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 523, by Mr. Day:

An act supplemental to an act concerning labor, and providing means for protecting the liberty, safety and health of laborers, providing for its enforcement by creating a department of inspection, and making an appropriation therefor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith. Approved March 2, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 524, by Mr. Sambor (by request):

A bill for an act to establish a board of examiners for barbers, and to regulate the occupation of a barber in this State, and to prevent the spreading of contagious disease.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Labor.

House Bill No. 525, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act concerning the repair and maintenance of free gravel or macadam roads.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 526, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act amending section 420 of an act entitled "An act concerning

proceedings in civil cases" approved April 7, 1881, being section 585 of Burns' Revised Statutes of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 527, by Mr. Scott:

A bill for an act concerning the taxation of real estate encumbered by mortgage.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 528, by Mr. Scott:

A bill for an act to provide for the levy, collection and enforcement of a poll tax, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 529, by Mr. Jameson (by request):

A bill for an act relating to the improvement of streets, alleys, or other public places in cities of the first-class; providing a method of assessment for the cost thereof and of street and alley intersections the levying of taxes to pay and discharge certificates outstanding and unpaid issued by such cities in anticipation of the collection of assessments for the payment of one-half of the cost of street and alley intersections; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 530, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred sixty-six (666) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses" approved March 10, 1905, and section two hundred sixty (260) of an act en-

titled "An act concerning public offenses and their punishment," approved April 14, 1881.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 531, by Mr. Kessler:

A bill for an act concerning the time and manner of assessing property for taxation.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 532, by Mr. Hoffman:

A bill for an act for the relief of John A. Bender of Noble county, Indiana, and to authorize and direct the county auditor of Noble county to enter of record a release of a certain mortgage upon the real estate of said John A. Bender, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 533, by Mr. Osborn:

A bill for an act concerning the pay of the national guard called into the service of the United States.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 534, by Mr. Westrick:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the common schools of the State, the election powers and duties of certain officers thereof, providing a penalty for the violation of some of its provisions, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' approved February 17, 1911," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 535, by Mr. Jinnett:

A bill for an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled, "An act concerning the school attendance of children," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 536, by Mr. Miller of Howard (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the cutting down and destroying by owners of lands of all briars, thistles, burrs, docks, willows, sumac, grass, cat-tails, reeds, shrubs and other noxious growths along public highways.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 537, by Mr. Cronin:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to fix and regulate the compensation of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the counties of Indiana containing not less than 80,000 inhabitants, and not more than 90,000 inhabitants, and also of the counties of Indiana containing not less than 90,000 inhabitants, and not more than 150,000 inhabitants, and also of the counties of Indiana containing not less than 150,000 inhabitants, as shown by the last preceding United States census, repealing all laws that conflict therewith" approved March 2, 1911, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Governor has approved Senate Enrolled Bill No. 7,

and the same has been deposited with the Secretary of State.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of Senate.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 24, 82, 85, 167, 94, 98, 104 and 128 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of Senate.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bill No. 39.

The following resolution was offered by Messrs. Dynes and Miller of Howard:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section one (1) of article ten (X) of the constitution concerning taxation by providing for the exemption of household goods to the value of two hundred dollars (\$200).

Section 1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That the following amendment to section one (1) of article ten (X) of the constitution is hereby proposed and agreed to by this the Seventieth General Assembly and is hereby referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the general election to be held in the year 1918.

Section 2. That section one (1) of article ten (X) of the constitution be amended to read as follows: Section 1. The General Assembly shall provide, by law, for a uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation; and shall prescribe such regulations as shall secure a just valuation for taxation of all property, both real and personal, excepting such only for municipal, educational, literary, scientific, religious or charitable purposes, as may be specially

exempted by law. The General Assembly may exempt from taxation the household goods of any person in any amount not to exceed two hundred dollars.

This resolution was read a first time and was referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 104, by Senator Van Auker.

A bill for an act to legalize taxes levied, money borrowed, bonds or warrants issued and any and all acts, determinations and proceedings whatsoever of township trustees and township advisory boards when acting under and by virtue of an act of March 10, 1913, being chapter 179 of the session laws of 1913, which act is inoperative and void.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down for first reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 167, by Senator Kolsem.

A bill for an act concerning the department of public parks in all cities of the second class as defined by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved Mar. 6, 1905, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto; conferring additional powers upon all such departments of public parks; authorizing the creation of park districts; authorizing and empowering such departments to acquire land for and improve parks, parkways, park boulevards and boulevards of said city and district and to assess the cost thereof upon all property within said city or district; authorizing the issuing of bonds to defray the cost thereof and the levying of a tax to meet such bonds, such powers herein granted being in addition to all other powers now conferred upon such departments of

public parks by said acts and any and all other laws.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 98, by Senator Simmons.

A bill for an act concerning the operation of motor vehicles and motor bicycles, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 85, by Senator Van Auker.

An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and government of a correctional institution, to be known as the Indiana State Farm, providing for the care and confinement of prisoners therein, and the transfer of prisoners thereto." Approved March 14, 1913, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128, by Senator Simmons.

A bill for an act legalizing certain school bonds or school warrants and the proceedings of the township trustee and acting advisory board as far as they relate to the issuing of such warrants, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 77, by Senators Maston and McKinley.

A bill for an act granting women the right to vote for presidential electors and certain other officers, and to vote in certain elections.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 94, by Senator Laney.

A bill for an act authorizing the sale of school lands purchased for experimental purposes to be sold for the benefit of the school corporation and specifying the procedure therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 82, by Senator Reidelbach.

A bill for an act authorizing counties to erect and maintain auditoriums and coliseums by co-operation with private associations or corporations; prescribing the method of such co-operation, and of securing sites for, locating, erecting and maintaining such buildings, fixing the title to such property; authorizing the issuance of bonds and providing for the purchase or sale of such properties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

The Speaker handed down for first reading, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 24, by Senator Reser.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) and section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 39, begs leave to report that it has compared the enrolled act with the original House Engrossed Bill and finds said act correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON.

Which report was adopted.

The Select Committee made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Committee, to which was referred the investigation of the financial condition of the State Board of Agriculture, begs leave to report that they have had the same under consideration; have examined in detail the attached report and request that a copy of the same be placed upon the desks of the members.

We find that the total indebtedness now existing is \$158,871.29.

HYLAND.

MILLER of Howard.

KRIEG.

Which report was adopted.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 358, being:

A bill for an act to promote corn production in Indiana through field contests and exhibits, and the dissemination of information.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 282, being:

A bill for an act concerning the prevention, treatment and control of infectious or communicable diseases

among swine, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 106, by Senator English, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning public cemeteries, providing for the management and care of same; providing the manner in which a trust fund for same may be created; and prescribing certain penalties," approved March 9, 1916.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 342, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred sixteen (216) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1906.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 417, being:

A bill for an act to amend section eighteen (18) of an act entitled "An act concerning annuities or benefits for teachers retired after specified years of service or for disability, and other matters connected therewith and pertaining thereto," which became a law without the Governor's signature, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 432, being:

A bill for an act providing for the furnishing, erecting, constructing, and installing of lamp posts and street lamps along the curb line of property owned by counties in the state, within the corporate limits of cities and towns in the state, providing for the operating and maintenance of the same; providing for



the manner in which counties shall pay the expense of constructing and maintaining the same and paying for lights furnished, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 445, being:

A bill for an act to authorize and require county councils and boards of county commissioners to appropriate and pay money to certain county corn growers associations and horticultural societies.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 381, being:

A bill for an act authorizing the Indiana Horticultural Society to turn over and surrender to the Trustees of Purdue University, its experimental orchard in Lawrence County, Indiana, reserving certain rights therein to said Society, providing for the control and management of said experimental orchard by said University and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 369, being:

A bill for an act providing for the apprehension of persons sentenced to the Indiana State Farm escaping therefrom, removing persons convicted and sentenced for escaping from said farm to the Indiana State Prison and Indiana Reformatory, providing how appointed agents shall be paid for apprehending said persons and how sheriffs shall be paid for removing such persons to the Indiana State Prison and Reformatory after their conviction, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 350, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for a general system of common schools, the officers thereof, and their respective powers and duties, and matters properly connected therewith, and prescribing the fees for certain officers therein named, and for the establishment and regulation of township libraries, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, providing penalties therein prescribed, approved March 6, 1865, and adding supplemental sections thereto,' approved March 8, 1873," approved March 7, 1905.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 393, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act authorizing and empowering boards of trustees of school cities of all cities incorporated under the general laws of this State and boards of trustees of school towns of all incorporated towns in this State, to issue bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding their indebtedness, or the indebtedness of any city or incorporated town incurred for the purpose of buying school grounds or erecting or repairing school buildings, and the proceeds whereof have been used by the school city or town for the purpose of buying grounds for school purposes, or erecting or repairing school buildings, reducing the rate of interest or pre-existing obligations or taking up or cancelling bonds, notes, or other obligations already due or which shall hereafter become due, and making it the duty of the board of trustees of such school cities or board of trustees of such school towns to levy taxes for the payment of the interest and authorizing the board of trustees of such school cities and school towns to

provide sinking funds for the liquidation of the principal of such bonds, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 15, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 427, being:

A bill for an act providing for continuation schools or classes and compelling attendance thereon for children from fourteen (14) to sixteen (16) years of age.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 236, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend sections 107, 108, 109, 111, 112 and 265' of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations,' approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 110, 115 and 116' of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal corporations, approved March 6, 1905,' approved March 12, 1907, and declaring an emergency, approved March 8, 1909," repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 214, being:

A bill for an act concerning the deportation of non-resident insane, feeble-minded, epileptic or poor persons, and making an appropriation.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 124, being:

A bill for an act concerning powers of Boards of Public Works in cities of the second class having a population of not

less than sixty thousand nor more than sixty-eight thousand, according to the last preceding United States census and conferring upon such boards power to condemn and appropriate real and personal property and buildings on such real estate for public highway and other public purposes, including railroad lands and rights of way, whether used or occupied for public purposes or otherwise, providing the procedure therefor and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 454, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to authorize the school trustees of the several townships, towns and cities to levy a tax for school purposes, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 9, 1903.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 464, being:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Myers offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 464, by striking out in line three (3) printed bill the word "twenty" and figure "20" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two hundred" and figure "200".

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 279, being:

A bill for an act providing for a permanent public record of farm tile drainage.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 120, by Senator Hudgins, being:

A bill for an act authorizing certain incorporated towns to contract with township trustees relative to the joint use of the schools of such towns by the inhabitants of such town and those of the township wherein such town is located, and relative to the joint operation of such schools and the division of the expense thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 342, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred sixteen (216) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Bill No. 342:

By inserting after the word "place" on line twenty-three (23) of section one (1) and before the comma and the word "except" of said line the following "in the same manner as is now provided for justices of the peace in like cases."

KIMMEL.

Which motion prevailed and the bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 370, being:

A bill for an act to reimburse Putnam county for expenses incurred in the apprehension of prisoners escaped from the Indiana State Farm.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 390, being:

A bill for an act prohibiting the making, publishing, or circulating of derogatory statements affecting banks, trust companies and building associations.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following resolution:

One hundred eight years ago this day, there was born of obscure parents in a humble Kentucky cabin, a child who was destined by providence in later years to rise to heights of commanding greatness and enduring fame. That child was Abraham Lincoln.

Cradled in poverty and reared amid the privations and hardships of pioneer life, with scant opportunity and without aid he attained such proportions of mind and soul that although more than fifty years have passed away since his untimely death, he is today the overshadowing character of the age, and the world does him homage.

Growing from youth to manhood on Indiana soil, his name is dear to the heart of every citizen of our State, although no State can claim him for her own. No college lays claim as his Alma Mater; no University instilled in him the principles of higher learning. But by the flickering blaze of the cabin fireside, he acquired the rudiments of an education, and in the rough school of experience he mastered the philosophy of life.

Unknown and without fame, at a crucial moment in the nation's history,

when the Republic was tottering upon its foundations, he was called from the obscurity of a country law office to the highest place of responsibility and trust within the gift of a free people. For four stormy years he stood at the helm of the Ship of State. For four years, through villification, calumny and abuse, he steered a determined course. For four years he bore a burden such as no other man since the Nazarene has borne. For four long years he saw the best blood of his people sacrificed upon the nation's altar, and directed the titanic struggle which determined for all time that this government of the people, for the people, and by the people shall not perish from the earth.

Then in the hour of triumph, when the smoke of battle was clearing away, when vindication had come, when the glad hosannas of victory were resounding he met death at an assassin's hand. Though stricken in the hour of his supremacy, his fame lives supreme, and through all ages to come and among all the people of the earth, he will be known as the saviour of a Nation, the great Emancipator, the immortal Lincoln.

It is therefore fitting that we as members of the General Assembly of a State that has ever been loyal to the best traditions of our country, and a state that once for a while claimed him for her own, on this the anniversary of his birth, pay a tribute of respect to his memory.

Therefore, be it resolved, that in reverence to the name of Lincoln, the members of the House arise and stand in silence, with bowed heads, for one minute.

That this memorial be spread upon the Journal of the House, and

That the House recess from its labors for one-half hour that eulogies may be offered by the members.

McGONAGLE.

Which resolution was adopted and the House stood for a moment in silence in memory of our departed Lincoln.

The House recessed for half an hour during which time eulogies were offered by Representatives Houghton and Hartke.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, adjourned until 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, February 13th, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY MORNING.

February 13, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Arthur W. Littrell, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Warsaw, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and

Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Eisterhold, Jacoby, Jameson, Mendenhall, Mosier, Tucker, Williams, Waltz, Wright of Randolph. Total, 11.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, February 12th, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Moore the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 501, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 489, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No.

470, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 254, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 357, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BEHMER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 482, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BEHMER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 56, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 469, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 306, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 480, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 473, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

(1) Strike out all of line five (5) section one after the word "jailer" and all of line six (6) and all of line seven (7) to and including the word "age."

(2) Strike out the word "not" in line fourteen (14) section one (1),

also the words "but they shall" and all of line fifteen (15) in section one (1).

(3) Strike out all of lines two (2) and three (3) in section four (4) and insert in lieu thereof the following: "a regular patrolman."

(4) Strike out the words "and matrons" in line one section six (6). And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 479, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 321, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 474, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No.

475, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 270, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out section six (6) and renumbering sections seven (7) and eight (8) as sections six (6) and seven (7) respectively, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 472, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

(1) After the word "city" in line five (5) section one (1) insert the following: "And shall be a member of the police department of such city."

(2) Strike out all of line eight (8) section one (1) after the word "appointment" all line nine (9) section one (1) and all of line ten (10) to including the word "officer."

(3) In line seventeen (17) section one (1) strike out the words and figures fifteen (1500) hundred and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures twelve (\$1200) hundred, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 228, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 269, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of lines fifty-six (56) to sixty-eight (68) inclusive, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. Cravens, by unanimous consent of the House, withdrew House Bill No. 493.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 538, Mr. Houghton:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act concerning the delivery of express matter by express companies doing business within the state of Indiana and providing a penalty' approved March 6, 1901.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 539, by Mr. Miller of Howard:

A bill for an act to establish a state athletic commission and to define the powers and duties thereof and provide

for the control and regulation of athletic matches.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 540, by Mr. McClaskey:

A bill for an act to provide for the publication of legal notices affecting all township and county business, in daily or weekly newspapers, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 541, by Mr. Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act providing for the construction, operation and maintenance of sewers by adjoining municipalities.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 542, by Mr. Day:

A bill for an act concerning the licensing of laundry establishments by city councils.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 543, by Mr. Southard:

A bill for an act to amend section sixty-seven (67) of an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain state and county officers, fixing certain fees to be taxed in the offices and the salaries of officers therein named, providing for certain employees in certain public offices and fixing their compensation, defining certain duties and liabilities of officers and persons therein named, providing for the distribution of certain

moneys, making certain appropriations, declaring certain violations of the provisions of this act to be misdemeanors and prescribing penalties therefor, providing time when the same shall take effect as to officers therein named, and repealing all conflicting laws." Approved March 11, 1895.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 544, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act creating a commission to investigate and recommend state loan funds for certain purposes.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 545, by Mr. Scott:

A bill for an act providing for the reassessment and reappraisement of all of the property of the State of Indiana, and defining the duties of the taxing officers of the state and of persons owning property or employing labor, or custodians of poll books and public records in the state providing for penalties for the violation of such duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 546, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act to prohibit the board of trustees of the Indiana state prison and the board of trustees of the Indiana reformatory to make contracts for prison labor other than with public officers for the improvement of highways in state: To prohibit the products of prison labor to be sold in competition with the products of free labor; to provide how prison labor in the Indiana state prison and the Indiana reformatory shall be employed; to whom and in what manner the products of their labor shall be disposed of; to provide



for said boards to lease or purchase limestone beds or other material; to lease and operate plants for the manufacture of brick or other road material; to lease and cultivate lands; to authorize said board to enter into contracts for prison labor for the improvement of highways in the state with county commissioners or township trustees or other highway commissioners or boards that may hereafter be created; and to provide for the appointment of superintendents to supervise said work.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

House Bill No. 547, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act entitled "An act authorizing guardian of the estate of any ward whatsoever, except minors, to mortgage ward's real estate, and providing that husband, or wife, of ward may join in the execution of mortgage."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 548, by Mr. Hyland:

A bill for an act concerning the fixing of amounts of bonds of county, city and town treasurers and treasurers of school cities.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 549, by Mr. Dynes.

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 550, by Mr. Hyland (by request):

A bill for an act to license persons delivering gift scheme goods, wares or merchandise.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 551, by Mr. Jameson (by request):

A bill for an act concerning weights on carload shipments of coal between points within the State of Indiana, and providing for the weighing of such shipments.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 552, by Mr. Jameson (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section ninety-six (96) of "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 553, by Mr. Houghton (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the protection of state parks, state forest reservations and forests from fire, and repealing certain laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Parks.

House Bill No. 554, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the powers of the board of health and city council relating to

the public health in cities of the first class being supplementary to an act concerning municipal corporations approved March 6, 1905, repealing all laws in conflict herewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 555, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act to amend section three hundred forty-six (346) of an act entitled "An act concerning the proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881, being known as section five hundred thirty-three (533), Burns' annotated statutes, revision of 1914, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 556, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act concerning the publication of official notices and reports in newspapers.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 557, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act for the relief of the poor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 9, 1901.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and privileges.

House Bill No. 558, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to provide for the transportation of high school pupils.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 559, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, "An act authorizing corporations or associations organized under any law of the State of Indiana in any manner engaged in the business of issuing or indemnifying to make financial statements to and deposits of securities with the auditor of the State of Indiana, prescribing the duties of the auditor of state relating to such statements and deposits; and declaring an emergency," approved March 5, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 560, by Mr. Miles (by request):

A bill for an act providing for the sale of real estate by an executor or administrator with the will annexed.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 561, by Mr. Haslanger:

A bill for an act authorizing the board of park commissioners of cities having a population of not less than forty-five thousand (45,000) nor more than fifty-eight thousand (58,000) to construct, equip and maintain comfort stations, natatoriums, swimming pools, and authorizing the common councils of such cities to make appropriations from the general fund to the use of the board of park commissioners.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 562, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act providing for the registration of voters, and matters connected therewith and providing for penalties for the violation of certain provisions thereof, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict

therewith, and especially repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the registration of voters and matters connected therewith, approved March 4, 1911, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 11, 1913," approved March 9, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Elections.

House Bill No. 563, by Mr. Waltz:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 564, by Mr. Turner:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, by adding thereto a further section to be numbered four hundred fifty-three and one-half (453½).

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

February 13, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 p. m. with the Speaker in the chair.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 227, being:

A bill for an act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled "An act providing for the government of the state university, the management of its funds, and for the disposition of the lands thereof," approved June 17, 1852.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Davis of Jay offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 227 by striking out in lines six (6) and seven (7) of section one (1) the words "boards of county commissioners," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "county superintendents of schools upon a basis of scholarship attained during the entire course of high school training in the high schools of said county. First preference shall be given to the student having the highest general average over his or her entire high school course as given in the high schools of said county and all succeeding preferences shall be given according to the comparative rank of such general average."

DAVIS of Jay.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 253, being:

A bill for an act to legalize repair of gravel road proceedings in certain cases and the indebtedness or outstanding claims created against the gravel road repair funds in any such cases, and providing a method of payment of the same.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Mendenhall offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 253 by inserting the words "and payment"

after the word "making" in line nine (9) of section one (1).

MENDENHALL.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 298, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections 2, 5, 6, 8, 18, and 19, of an act entitled "An act to establish the office of state fire marshal, defining his powers and duties, providing for his compensation and the maintenance of his office, providing a tax on the net premiums of each fire insurance company doing business in Indiana to create a fire marshal fund, providing penalties and declaring an emergency," approved March 12, 1913.

Bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 308, being:

A bill for an act prescribing certain duties of county surveyors, defining the qualifications of civil engineers employed by counties in certain instances, providing for the employment of civil engineers by counties, fixing their compensation, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Jacoby offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Bill No. 308 by striking out of section three (3), line fifteen (15) the words "seven dollars" and the figures "(\$7.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "six dollars" and the figures "(\$6.00)"; and by striking out of line sixteen (16), section three (3) the words "five dollars" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four dollars," and by striking out line seventeen (17), section three (3),

the figures (\$5.00) and inserting in lieu thereof the figures (\$4.00).

JACOBY.

The amendment was not adopted.

Mr. Miltenberger offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Bill No. 308 as follows:

Section 3, line nineteen and after the word transportation strike out the words "and other."

MILTENBERGER.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 284, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act requiring county commissioners to have on file in auditor's office plans and specifications before letting contracts for the building of court houses, jails, county or township buildings, bridges and monuments; providing for the use of such plans and specifications; providing for inspection of the work undertaken subject to such plans and specifications, requiring advertising and posting notices; contract to be let to lowest responsible bidder, and requiring bond; requiring affidavits of noncollusion to be filed by bidders, to accompany their bids for building or repairing of any court house, jail, poor asylum, bridge or other county building or work or supplies; giving laborers and material men right of action against contractors and bondsmen; providing how county property may be sold by commissioners, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act," approved March 12, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 366, being:

A bill for an act concerning the cancellation of certain surety bonds given in justice courts of more than ten (10) years' standing.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 410, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning the equalization of assessments of real and personal property by the State Board of Tax Commissioners, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 364, being:

A bill for an act defining the crime of arson in the second degree and prescribing penalties for its commission.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 223, being:

A bill for an act to prohibit the concealing of automobiles or motor vehicles by removing, defacing or covering the serial numbers or other distinguishing marks.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 271, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of "An act providing for the forfeiture and repayment of moneys raised by taxation for the purpose of donation to railroad companies, and for paying for stock subscribed for in railroad companies, and for paying for stock subscribed for in railroad companies by counties and townships pursuant to the pro-

visions of an act entitled 'An act to authorize aid to the construction of railroads by counties and townships, taking stock in, and making donations to railroad companies,' approved May 12, 1869, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto," the same being section 5483 of Burns' Revised Statutes, Revision of 1914, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Williams offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 271 in section one (1), line twenty-seven (27), by striking out the word "ten" and inserting the word "fifty" in lieu thereof.

WILLIAMS.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 302, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two (2) of an act to incorporate the trustees of Walnut Ridge cemetery of Jeffersonville, Indiana, approved February 15, 1840," approved March 14, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 320, being:

A bill for an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 465, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 601 of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905," approved March 2, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 418, being:

A bill for an act concerning the payments of fees and other money of state officers, boards and commissions into the state treasury, and payments from the state treasury.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 402, being:

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications of superintendents of schools in towns and cities.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 407, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to create a board of commissioners for the purpose of securing for use in the common schools of the State of Indiana of a series of text-books, defining the duties of certain officers therein named with reference thereto, making appropriations, therefor, defining certain felonies and misdemeanors, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of said act, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' which became a law by lapse of time without the governor's approval, on the 2d day of March, 1889, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1909.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 440, being:

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications and wages of teachers in public elementary schools.

The bill was read second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 265, being:

A bill for an act providing for the consolidation of schools in incorporated towns or cities of the fifth class with the schools of the township in which such town or city is situated, providing for the management, control and maintenance thereof, and providing for the repair of old school buildings and the building of new ones, and for the issuance of bonds in payment thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Mr. Durham offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 265, as printed, be amended as follows:

By striking out all of line twelve (12) of section five (5) after the comma following the word "trustees" and all of lines 13, 14 and 15 in said section five (5) up to and including the word "town" in said line fifteen (15), and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one member of which board shall be a resident of said town or city, and one member of which board shall be a resident of the township in the territory outside said town or city."

DURHAM.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed with the amendment.

House Bill No. 183, being:

A bill for an act in regard to markers for the graves of deceased soldiers.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 226, being:

A bill for an act for the relief of Charles T. Whaley, of Newton county, Indiana, to authorize and direct the governor to issue to him a patent for certain real estate, correcting an erroneous description in a patent for said land heretofore issued by the trustees of the Wabash and Erie canal and relinquishing the claims of the State of Indiana to said real estate, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 353, being:

A bill for an act concerning the labor of the inmates of the Indiana reformatory, Indiana state prison and the Indiana state farm, on state account, providing for the disposition of the product of such labor and providing penalties.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 352, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the employment of the convicts of the state prison, regulating the hours of the same, how said labor may be employed, when contracts of the same shall expire; making an appropriation for the purchase of machinery, tools and other appliances necessary for the State to employ such labor on its own account, known as the public account system, providing for the payment of all officers, superintendents and guards of said prison, and declaring an emergency," approved February 10, 1899.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12 by Thornton, Lanz and Hirsh:

A bill for an act authorizing the purchase of the old capitol building and the public square in the town of Corydon, Harrison county, Indiana, by the State of Indiana, for Harrison county, Indiana, appropriating funds for such purposes, providing the terms and conditions upon which said old state capitol building and public square may be purchased and providing that such conditions of said purchase as shall be inserted in the deed from the board of commissioners of Harrison County, Indiana, to the State of Indiana, conveying said property to the State of Indiana, and creating a commission to buy said building and a commission to have charge of the same, providing that said building shall be maintained as a memorial to the pioneers who established the commonwealth of Indiana, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 53, 91 and 199 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Senate Bills Nos. 132, 65 and 20.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 250, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dilworth made the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move that House Bill No. 250 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by striking out the word "finishing" in section one, line sixteen of the engrossed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "furnishing."

**DILWORTH.**

Which motion prevailed.

**Mr. Behmer** made the following report:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee of one to whom House Bill No. 250 was referred with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that House Bill No. 250 has been amended as follows: By striking out the word "finishing" in section one, line sixteen and inserting in lieu thereof the word "furnishing."

**BEHMER.**

Which report was adopted and the amendment ordered engrossed.

**Mr. Cravens** offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move that House Bill No. 250 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend:

By adding at the end of section four (4), the following:

The members of the public service commission of Indiana are hereby continued in office as members of the railroad commission and of the public utilities commission until the expiration of the terms for which they were appointed, and until their respective successors are appointed and qualified: Provided, the governor of the state shall designate the commission to which

the members of said public service commission shall be assigned.

**CRAVENS.**

**Mr. McGonagle** moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass as amended?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hession, Hoffman, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 63.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Walker, Westfall. Total 29.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.



The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 216, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Harris made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 216 be re-committed to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by striking out of the printed bill the following, beginning with the word "and" in line eleven (11), including all remainder of line 11, all of lines 12, 13, 14 and the word "years" in line 15.

HARRIS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr Turner offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 216, with specific instructions, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

TURNER.

Which report was adopted by the House, and amendment ordered engrossed.

Mr. Osborn made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to strike out the enacting clause in Engrossed House Bill No. 216.

OSBORN.

Mr. Turner moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total 88.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Duffey, Eikenberry, Geddes, Jinnett, Mr. Speaker. Total 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 229, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total 88.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Speaker. Total 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 274, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp,

Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Axby, Bonham, Cronin, Curry, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Henke, Houghton, Mendenhall, Mushett, Mr. Speaker.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 235, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jameson,

Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 53.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Axby, Burt: Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Houghton, Jacoby, Lafuze, McNagny, Moore, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Wood. Total, 38.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 328 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hes-

song, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 88.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 332, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Milten-

berger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 56.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hoffman, Jacoby, Kimmel, McNagny, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg. Total, 26.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 411, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Milten-

berger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Henke, Ryan, Tucker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 339, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe,

Walker,  
Williams,  
Wright of

the negative were:

Houghton, Vesey,  
Total, 4.

was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title  
stand as the title of the act?  
was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the  
Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed  
House Bill No. 182, which was read a  
third time in full.

Mr. McNagny moved to strike out  
the enacting clause of the bill.

Mr. Dynes moved to lay the motion  
on the table.

Motion to lay on the table was lost.

Motion to strike out the enacting  
clause prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed  
House Bill No. 173, which was read a  
third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill  
pass?

Mr. McClaskey offered the follow-  
ing motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill  
No. 173 be recommitted to a committee  
of one, its author, with specific instruc-  
tions to amend by striking out of line  
eleven (11) section one (1) of the  
amended printed bill the words "two  
(2) years of."

McCLASKEY.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous  
question, which motion was seconded  
by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main  
question be now put?

The motion was carried.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the  
House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Bartel, Behmer,  
Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cronin, Davis  
of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth,  
Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Green,  
Habermel, Harris, Hougham, Hyland,  
Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of  
Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White,  
Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Mc-  
Claskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mil-  
ler of Howard, Miltenberger, Mont-  
gomery, Mushett, Osborn, Read, Ryan,  
Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain,  
Symons, Tucker, Westrick, Winesburg,  
Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph,  
Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 52.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Axby, Coggins,  
Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Downey,  
Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold,  
Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon,  
Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler,  
Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Mason,  
Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren,  
Mosier, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robert-  
son, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz,  
Westfall, Williams, Woods and Wood.  
Total, 37.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title  
of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. McClaskey offered the follow-  
ing amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House  
Bill No. 173 by inserting in line two (2)

of the title of the printed bill after the word "compensation" the following words: "in certain cases."

ROBERT W. McCLASKEY.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 336, which was read a third time.

Mr. C. A. Davis offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 336 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by striking out on line nine (9) section two (2) the word "both" and insert in lieu thereof the word "not."

C. A. DAVIS.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Sipe made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 336, with specific instructions to amend the same begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and that said bill has been amended by striking out the word "both" in line nine (9) section two (2) of the printed bill and that the word "not" has been inserted in lieu thereof.

SIPLE.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Anderson made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to recommit House Bill No. 336 to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to strike out all

that part of section one (1) after the enacting clause and by striking out section two (2), and renumbering sections three (3) and four (4) as sections one (1) and two (2) respectively.

ANDERSON.

Mr. Davis moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion failed.

Motion of Anderson failed.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Bonham, Burt, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Westrick, and Yoder. Total 39.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Swain, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, and Mr. Speaker. Total 51.

The Speaker declared that the bill had failed to pass.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the

House adjourned to meet at nine thirty Wednesday morning, February 14, 1917.

JESSE L. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING.

February 14, 1917

The House met at 9:30 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Arthur W. Littrell, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Warsaw, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Cook, Cravens, Davis of Lake,

Downey, Duffey, Harker, Hougham, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, Miles, Myers, Robertson, Symons, Tucker, Waltz, Williams, Wright of Randolph. Total, 22.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 539, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 549, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 344, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 487,

has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be recommitted to your Committee on Insurance.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 1, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the joint resolution do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 2, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the joint resolutions do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 3, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the Joint Resolution do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 4, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the

recommendation that the joint resolution do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 463, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 237, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 533, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means.

DILWORTH.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Benevolent and Scientific Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 392, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

JAMESON.

House concurred in the report.



MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Benevolent and Scientific Institutions to which was referred House Bill No. 443, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JAMESON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 89, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That all that part of section one (1) after the period in line twelve (12), be stricken out, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 431, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY.

House concurred in the report.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Parks, to which was referred House Bill No. 257, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by inserting the word "or" after the comma after the word "county" in line fifteen (15) of section two (2) thereof, and by strik-

ing out the words "or the United States of America" in lines fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of section two (2) thereof and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HOUGHTON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 430, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 496, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 303, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 552, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

(1) By adding at the beginning of the title the words, "A bill for,"

(2) By numbering the lines,

(3) By striking out of line seven (7), section one (1), the words, "Clerk and stenographer," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures, "Section 96."

(4) By striking out section two (2), and number section three (3) as section two (2).

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 488, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 564, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 93, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Parks, to which was referred House Bill No. 258, has had the same under consideration and beg leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by inserting the word "or" after the comma after the word "county," in line three (3) of section one (1), in line two (2) of section two (2), in line nine (9) of section two (2), in line 26, section two (2) and in line two (2) of section ten (10) thereof.

And by striking out that part of section one (1) thereof, beginning with the word "or" after the word "Indiana" in line three (3) thereof and ending with the word "America" on line four (4) thereof; and by striking out the words "or the United States of America" in lines two (2) and three (3) of section two (2) thereof; and by striking out the words "or the United States of America" in line ten (10) of section two (2) thereof; and by striking out the words "or the United States of America" in lines twenty-six (26) and twenty-seven (27) of section two (2) thereof; and by striking out the words "or the United States of America" in lines two (2) and three (3) of section ten (10) thereof.

And by striking out the words "or the United States of America" in lines two (2) and three (3) of section fifteen (15) thereof, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HOUGHTON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 507, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

(1) By striking out the word "dealer"

in line two (2), section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "person."

(2) By striking out the comma after the word "knuckles" in line five (5) of section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or."

(3) By striking out of lines five (5) and six (6) of section one (1) the words "or any other similar dangerous or deadly weapon."

(4) By striking out of line six (6), section one (1), the word "unnaturalized."

(5) By inserting after the third word "or" and before the word "under" in line seven (7), section one (1), the word "person."

(6) By adding a period at the end of line eight (8), section one (1) and striking out all of line nine (9) thereof.

(7) By striking out the comma after the word "knuckles" in line four (4), section two (2), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or," and by striking out all of said section after the word "sandbag."

(8) By inserting after the first word "any" and before the word "dealer" in line one (1), section three (3), the words "person or."

(9) By striking out the words and figures "twenty-five dollars (\$25)" in lines three (3) and four (4), section three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "ten dollars (\$10)."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 8, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the following words in section two, lines 21, 22, 23, 24, 25,

26 and 27: "on township roads, all guide posts and guide boards shall be installed, maintained and kept in repair under the direct supervision of the road supervisor of the road district in which such guide-posts are installed; in either case," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Natural Resources, to which was referred House Bill No. 426, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

COGGINS.

House concurred in the report.

Report of Committee on Engrossed Bills.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to which was referred House Bills Nos. 370, 214, 393, 279, 358, 445, 390, 381, 236, 282, 369, 417, 454, 342, 124, 427, 432 and Engrossed House Bills Nos. 106 and 351, begs leave to report it has compared the Engrossed Bills with the original House Bills and finds said bills correctly engrossed.

RUSSEL P. HARKER,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

Report of Committee on Enrolled Bills:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Enrolled House Bills Nos. 53, 91, 199 begs leave to report that it has compared the revised Enrolled Bills with the original House

Enrolled Bills and finds each of said bills correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON,  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 53, 91 and 199.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of new bills:

House Bill No. 565, by Mr. Eikenberry (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled an act concerning township business, approved Feb. 27, 1899,' approved March 4, 1911," approved March 5, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Counties and Townships.

House Bill No. 566, by Mr. Habermuel:

A bill for an act entitled An act relating to insurance agents, fixing penalties, and providing for the repeal of all acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

House Bill No. 567, by Mr. Symons:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act requiring the establishment and maintenance of township high schools, or joint high schools and elementary schools, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 7, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 568, by Mr. Krieg:

A bill for an act for the use of deeds for congressional school lands executed by the auditor of the county wherein said lands are situated, and of certified copies thereof as evidence, and providing that such deeds shall be legalized and declared valid in law.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 569, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), three (3) and ten (10) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the branding and labeling of mattresses and comforts, and to provide against the use of unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand material in the manufacture of mattresses and comforts and to provide against the sale of mattresses or comforts containing unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand materials," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 570, by Mr. Sipe, (by request):

A bill for an act providing how the capital stock of certain corporations may be increased or decreased or the par value of shares changed, ratifying attempted increases or decreases, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 571, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled "An act establishing a probate court in all counties in the state wherein is situated an incorporated city containing, according to the last preceding United States census return, a population of not less than one hundred thousand in-

habitants, defining its jurisdiction and powers, providing for keeping the records of such court, the appointment of officers for same, the manner of their selection, fixing the term and salary of such judge, the manner of his election, the payment of his salary, by whom and how the process of such court shall be served, the transfer of cases to such court, and providing for an appeal from the judgment of such court, repealing laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency," approved March 9, 1907, (Acts 1907 page 240, Burns' R. S. 1914 section 1615,) legalizing certain judgments and proceedings of said court, authorizing the transfer of certain pending matters from said probate court to superior and circuit courts and from the latter courts to the former and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 572, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning the compensation of township assessors in townships having a population of more than two hundred thousand (200,000)," approved March 4, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 573, by Mr. Dynes (by request):

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the public printing, binding, stationery and supplies, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Printing.

House Bill No. 574, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax on gifts, inheritances, bequests, legacies, devises and successions in certain cases," approved February 28, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 575, by Mr. Green (by request):

A bill for an act providing for the classification of the townships of this state for the purpose of grading the salaries, clerk hire, office rent and other expenses of township trustees.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 576, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act concerning the sale and conveyances of lands by the State of Indiana and by the trustees of the Wabash and Erie Canal, and matters incident thereto, providing for the execution of deeds to purchasers of said lands, their heirs, assigns and grantees, in assurance of their title thereto and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 577, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act to authorize and direct the auditor of state of the State of Indiana, to release mortgages in certain cases and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 578, by Mr. Westrick:

A bill for an act concerning annuities for teachers after forty-five years of teaching service in the State of Indiana, and other matters connected therewith and pertaining thereto and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 579, by Mr. Westrick:

A bill for an act to amend section thirteen (13) of an act entitled "An act concerning teachers' licenses and success graduates (grades). Providing for qualifications and examination or (of) applicants for teachers' licenses, fees, records and reports incident thereto; grading of success, records and reports incident thereto and appeals thereon; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith", approved March 10, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 580, by Mr. Gorski, (by request):

A bill for an act concerning suppression of insect pests and plant and tree diseases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 581, by Mr. Gorski:

A bill for an act concerning the rate for supplying fuel and illuminating gas to consumers in certain cities of the second class.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 582, by Messrs. Myers, Read and Symons:

A bill for an act to enable certain counties to establish and maintain public hospitals.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 583, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act requiring the maintenance of first-aid-to-the-injured rooms or emergency kits in factories employing dangerous machinery.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 584, by Mr. Coggins:

A bill for an act to regulate the dragging or digging for mussels in the waters of this state.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rivers and Waters.

House Bill No. 585, by Mr. Coggins:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred twenty (620) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 586, by Mr. Read (by request):

A bill for an act concerning unincorporated cemeteries, their management and maintenance.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 587, by Mr. Osborn:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act to provide for public printing, binding, stationery and supplies and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 8, 1915, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Printing.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 310, being:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred and ninety-seven (697) of an

act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of weights and measures, approved March 9, 1885,' and adding a supplemental section thereto, prescribing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of said section one (1) of this act, and declaring an emergency," approved February 11, 1897.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Hyland offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 310 be recommitted to the Committee on Criminal Code for further consideration.

HYLAND.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was recommitted to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 312, being:

A bill for an act concerning department of public sanitation in cities of the first class, defining its powers and duties, creating sanitary districts consisting of such cities and any incorporated towns located within the boundaries thereof, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 312 by inserting after the word year and before the word such in line twenty-eight (28), section two (2) the following "for such preliminary work."

MONTGOMERY.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill, with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 331, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act creating a state historical commission, providing for the editing and publication of historical materials and for an historical and educational celebration of the Indiana Centennial," approved March 8, 1915, providing for the gathering, preserving and publishing of material relating to Indiana history, and for the continuing and making permanent the work commenced by the Indiana historical commission, created by said act.

The bill was read a second time and was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 64, being:

A bill for an act providing for the removal from office of certain officers for misconduct or maladministration while in office.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Bill No. 64, first by striking out the word "commission" in line eighteen (18) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "conviction;" and by striking out all of said line eighteen (18) after the word "felony" and all of line nineteen (19).

By striking out line six (6), seven (7) and eight (8) in section six (6) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "authority having power to fill a vacancy in such office as by law provided."

McNAGNY.

Mr. Miller moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 185 by Senator Mercer.

A bill for an act entitled, "An act authorizing and empowering the township trustee of Peru township, in Miami county, Indiana, to transfer the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) from the township fund to the special school fund of said township.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 166 by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to regulate the sale of tickets for transportation to and from foreign countries and the business of receiving and transmitting money in connection therewith, and providing penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 162 by Senator Elsner:

A bill for an act to empower the board of trustees of the town of Charlestown, Clark county, State of Indiana, to transfer certain special school funds now in the treasury of said town to the general fund of said town.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 199, by Senator Elsner:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acknowledgement and recording of conveyances, mortgages and

other instruments executed in foreign countries," approved March 4, 1893.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 155, by Senator Beardsley:

A bill for an act to amend section eighteen (18) and section twenty (20) and repealing section nineteen (19) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of township highways," approved March 15, 1913, and especially repealing an act entitled "An act concerning the payment and redemption of road receipts and legalizing redemptions," approved February 25, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 200, by Senator Erskine:

A bill for an act providing for the appointment of clerical assistants in certain cities, fixing their compensation and legalizing certain acts thereof and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 110 by Senator Metzger:

A bill for an act legalizing the acts of county boards of commissioners in the matter of granting petitions, making surveys, ordering improvements, awarding contracts, ordering issue of bonds, and issuing of bonds for the construction of free gravel, stone or other macadamized roads pursuant to the act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, approved March 8, 1908, (Acts 1907, p. 211), being an act entitled



"An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act entitled an act concerning the construction of free gravel, stone or other macadamized roads and for the payment of costs thereof and their maintenance, and declaring an emergency, approved March 9, 1903, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1905," and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 123, by Senator McConaha:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, "An act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled 'An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict,' approved March 11, 1907," approved March 3, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 208, by Senator Retherford:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning teachers' licenses and success grades, providing for qualifications and examination of applicants for teachers' licenses, fees, records and reports incident thereto; grading of success, records and reports incident thereto and appeals thereon; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith," approved March 10, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 117, by Senator Bird:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred twenty (620) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 29, by Senator English:

A bill for an act changing the name of Monument Place to Monument Circle.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 202, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act making it a crime under the laws of the State of Indiana to buy, sell, receive, dispose of, conceal or have in one's possession any automobile or motor vehicle from which the manufacturers serial number or other distinguishing or identifying mark has been removed, defaced, covered, altered or destroyed for the purpose of concealing such automobile or motor driven vehicle; declaring the same to be a misdemeanor providing penalties for the violation thereof and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 25 by Senator Simmons.

A bill for an act legalizing certain school city and school town bonds, levies and expenditures and all proceedings under which same were issued, levied and expended, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42 by Senator Dobyns:

A bill for an act creating a state highway commission, providing for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways, and providing for co-operation with the federal government in the construction of rural post roads.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 156 by Senator Gemmill:

A bill for an act to license and regulate the business of making loans in the sums of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than eight per centum per annum, prescribing the rate of interest therefor, prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1, by Senator Armstrong:

A bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the corporation whose name is now "Oakland City College founded by General Baptists" located at Oakland City, Indiana; to legalize all the acts and proceedings of its several boards of trustees and each and all of the officers and agents of said corporation; to legalize the proceedings changing the name of said corporation to "Oakland City College founded by General Baptists" and to cure any and all defects in the title to property now owned by said corporation, and property that may hereafter vest in said corporation by reason of provisions made in instruments heretofore executed, arising from a use of diversity of names applied to said corporation, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 454, which was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Krieg, Kuhlman, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Walker, Westfall, Woods and Yoder. Total, 62.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bayer, Blackmore, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Houghton, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Lafuze, McClaskey, Miltenberger, Moore, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 124, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Curry, Durham, Eisterhold, Griffin, Henke, Jacoby, Ryan, Sipe, Waltz, Mr. Speaker. Total, 11.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 1, 25, 29, 110, 117, 123, 155, 156, 162, 166, 185, 199, 200, 202, 208 and same are here-

with transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 383, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Ryan, Scott, Swain, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 55.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Eisterhold, Gorski, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Mr. Speaker. Total, 40.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42 and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House adjourned to meet Thursday morning, February 15th, at 10:00 o'clock.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## THURSDAY MORNING.

February 15, 1917.

The House met at 10:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. H. L. Herod, of the Second Christian Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby,

Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulsaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Moosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 91.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Burt, Dilworth, Duffey, Harris, Henke, Kuhlman, Ryan, Tucker. Total, 9.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, February 14, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Moore the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the standing committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 481, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 5, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recom-

mendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 467, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 547, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 49, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 30, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 563,

has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rivers and Waters to which was referred House Bill No. 506, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WILLIAMS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 554, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 548, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the house with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 206, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 505, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 425, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 449, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 299, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move that Engrossed Printed House Bill No. 402 be recommitted to the Committee on Education for further consideration.

KESSLER.

The bill was recommitted to the Committee on Education.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 541, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 561, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of line eight (8) after the word "pools" and all of line nine (9) in section one (1).

By striking out in lines twelve (12) and thirteen (13), section one (1), the words "any purpose for which such board is authorized to expend money," and inserting in lieu thereof "the above named purposes," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 23, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed

Senate Bill No. 15, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 116, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

That section four (4) of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 4. That section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend section (63) of an act entitled an act concerning highways, approved March 8, 1909; approved March 2, 1907; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend sections seventy (70) and seventy-five (75) of an act entitled an act concerning highways; approved February 25, 1907; and section seventy-two (72) of an act entitled an act concerning highways; approved March 6, 1905; approved March 8, 1909; and to amend section seventy-six (76) of an act entitled an act concerning highways, approved March 8, 1905; and declaring an emergency; approved March 8, 1913; be amended to read as follows:

Section 63. Whenever a petition signed by freeholders and voters of any township of any county in this state, as hereinafter provided, praying that any public highway or highways within such township shall be laid out, es-

tablished and improved by grading, draining and paving with stone, gravel or other road paving material, including brick, or that any public highway or highways already established shall be graded, drained or paved with stone, gravel or other road paving material, including brick; or by freehold voters of two (2) or more townships in such county praying that such public highway shall be laid out, graded, drained, and paved on a line dividing such townships, or that a highway on such line shall be graded, drained and paved, shall be addressed to the board of commissioners of the county in which such township or townships are located and filed in the office of the auditor of such county, it shall be the duty of such auditor to cause to be published in a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in such county, and to be posted in not less than three (3) public places within each of the townships named in such petition, and at the door of the court house of such county a notice setting forth the township in which the same is located, a description of the highway proposed to be improved, the term of court and the day upon which the same will be presented for hearing before said board of commissioners. The number of petitioners shall be not less in each township than fifty (50) for the first mile of road or fraction thereof, petitioned for in such township and twenty-five (25) for each additional mile and fraction thereof in such township: Provided, that in any township in this state in which there are not to exceed one hundred (100) freehold voters, then upon a petition of a majority of the freehold voters of any such township to the board of county commissioners for the improvement of any road or roads, as required, as in this act provided, then this act shall apply in all such cases, and the board of county commissioners shall proceed under such petition and

notice according to the provisions of this act, the same as if upon the petition as in this act provided: Provided, that in no case shall attorneys' fees be allowed for the preparation and filing of any such petition or in any other preliminary work in connection with such road in excess of fifteen dollars (\$15).

Sec. 2. That section three (3) of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 3. That section two (2) of an act entitled an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an act entitled an act concerning highways, approved March 8, 1905; approved March 2, 1907; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend sections seventy (70) and seventy-five (75) of an act entitled an act concerning highways; approved February 25, 1907; and section seventy-two (72) of an act entitled an act concerning highways, approved March 6, 1905; approved March 8, 1909; and to amend section seventy-six (76) of an act entitled an act concerning highways, approved March 8, 1905; and declaring an emergency; approved March 8, 1913; be amended to read as follows:

Section 70. When all matters in respect to damages have been determined finally, as hereinbefore provided, such board of commissioners shall examine the report and profile made by engineer and viewers and may either approve said report or may adopt such modifications and amendments to such report as said board may deem necessary and proper, and said board may require the services of the engineer and viewers in fixing and adopting such modifications and amendments, and when such report shall have been accepted and approved or modified and

amended by said court they shall make an order requiring the auditor to give notice by publication for three (3) consecutive weeks in a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said county, that on a day to be named by the board the polls will be opened at the several voting places in each township named in the petition and report for the purpose of taking the votes of the legal voters thereof, whether the proposed new highway or highways named in the petition and report shall be laid out, established, graded, drained and paved, or the public highway or highways named therein shall be graded, drained and paved, and that said petition and report and all records and matters pertaining to said matters may be found at the office of said auditor, and the auditor shall publish such notice as required by the order: Provided, that said publication shall contain the report of the viewers and engineer, excepting the plats and profiles: And Provided, further, that if any petition filed as provided in section sixty-three (63) of this act calls for the building or improvement of a road connecting at each end with an improved free gravel or macadamized road either within said township or townships, or at the boundaries thereof, or connecting a free gravel or macadamized road with a boundary of said township, or connecting an improved free gravel or macadamized road with the boundary line of any incorporated city or town in the same township, or connecting the boundary line of any incorporated city or town with the boundary line of the township in which said incorporated city or town is situated, the board of county commissioners may, in their discretion, if they find said petition otherwise complies with this act, establish and order the construction of said road without submitting the question of building the same to an election of the voters of the township or townships,



concerned: Provided, that if, within twenty (20) days after the day set for the hearing of said petition there shall be filed with the board of commissioners a remonstrance signed by a greater number of the freeholders and voters of the township or townships to be affected by such petition than appear upon said petition, asking that said highway shall not be opened and improved or improved as therein asked, then said board of commissioners shall not order said road improved and said petition shall be dismissed at the cost of the petitioners. But if no such remonstrance is filed, as above provided, said board may proceed to have said road constructed in all other respects as if submitted to an election and voted as hereinafter provided: Provided, that no person signing said petition shall be counted on any remonstrance against such petition: Provided, further, that any taxpayer of the county aggrieved by the action of said board may appeal from its decision to the circuit court of said county within ten (10) days in the same manner as other appeals are taken from the action of such board, and said cause shall by said circuit court be tried de novo.

Sec. 3. That section two (2) of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. That section one (1) of an act entitled "An act limiting the issuance of bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness payable by taxation, for the construction of free gravel or macadamized roads, approved March 14, 1913," be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any board of county commissioners in the State of Indiana to issue bonds, or any other evidence of indebtedness payable by taxation, for the construction of free gravel or macadamized roads under any law in force in this state, when the total issue for that purpose, includ-

ing bonds already issued, and to be issued, is in excess of three per cent. (3%) of the total assessed valuation after deducting all mortgage exemptions of the property of the township or townships wherein such roads are located or to be located, and all bonds or obligations issued in violation of this act shall be void: Provided, that all such bonds shall be issued in the order in which the judgments establishing the respective roads are rendered: Provided, further, that in determining the total issue of bonds as herein referred to the amount of tax collectible during the current year for the payment of road bonds then issued and outstanding and for which the tax levy has already been made, shall be deducted from the aggregate total of such bonds, and the amount remaining shall be and constitute the total issue of such bonds as herein defined: and provided, further, that no petition shall be filed when the cost of the road petitioned for would make the total bond issue exceed said three (3%) per cent. except those petitions which have heretofore been filed and publication of notice thereof made.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 524, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BEHMER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill

No. 355, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 437, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following: That the county assessors of the various counties of this state shall be entitled to receive for their services, including their services as president of the county board of review, the compensation specified in this act and no more. Such compensation shall be paid out of the county treasury on order of the board of county commissioners, on the filing by such assessor with the board of commissioners of an itemized statement, duly verified, showing the time actually employed by him and the nature of his services. In all counties having a population of less than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants according to the last preceding United States census, the compensation of the county assessor shall be three dollars (\$3) per day and not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500) per annum; in all counties having a population of ten thousand (10,000) and less than fifteen thousand (15,000) inhabitants, the compensation of the county assessor shall be three dollars (\$3) per day and not to exceed six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum; in all counties having a population of fifteen thousand (15,000) and less than twenty thousand (20,000) inhabitants the compensation of the county assessor shall be three dollars (\$3) per day and

not to exceed seven hundred dollars (\$700) per annum; in all counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) and less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) inhabitants, the compensation of the county assessor shall be three dollars (\$3) per day and not to exceed eight hundred and fifty dollars (\$850) per annum; in all counties having a population of twenty-five thousand (25,000) and less than thirty thousand (30,000) inhabitants, the compensation of the county assessor shall be three dollars and twenty-five cents (\$3.25) per day and not to exceed nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950) per annum; in all counties having a population of thirty thousand (30,000) and less than thirty-five thousand (35,000) inhabitants, the compensation of the county assessor shall be three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50) per day and not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1000) per annum; in all counties having a population of thirty-five thousand (35,000) and less than one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants, the compensation of the county assessor shall be four dollars (\$4) per day and not to exceed twelve hundred dollars (\$1200) per annum; in all counties having a population of one hundred thousand (100,000) and over, the compensation of the county assessor shall be six dollars and twenty-five cents (\$6.25) per day and not to exceed nineteen hundred dollars (\$1900) per annum. All such salaries shall be paid quarterly on the first day of April, July, October and December, unless otherwise provided by law.

Section 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. And when so amended that said bill do pass.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill

No. 446, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 461, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 543, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Libraries to which was referred House Bill No. 408, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting in section one (1), after the word "four" (4) in line three (3), the following words: "Nor more than two of whom shall be of the same political party."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MASON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to which was referred House Bills Nos. 464 and 308, begs leave to report that it has compared the Engrossed Bills with the original bills and finds said bills correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT,  
Chairman.

The House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 354, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

That all county, township, city and town officials who receive a per diem in payment for the discharge of their official duties shall not receive pay for more than one (1) day in any one calendar day and before receiving such per diem, such official shall make an affidavit specifying the exact date, place and character of the official duties for which such per diem is claimed.

Section 2. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, and when so amend that said bill do pass.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 266, being:

A bill for an act in regard to official weighmasters for weighing farm, mine and manufactured products in counties, cities, towns and townships.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 313, being:

A bill for an act requiring the licensing of cats.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harmon offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 313, be amended by striking out the word "cat" in each section.

HARMON.

Mr. Dynes moved to table the motion.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 313 by adding to section one (1) the following: The forms of licenses shall be prescribed by the state board of accounts and shall be uniform in all cities and towns of the state and such license forms shall be purchased by and paid for out of the general funds of such city or towns. All fees for licensing cats which are collected by the clerk of any such city or town shall be paid into the treasury of such city or town on the last day of each calendar month and shall be credited to the school fund of such city or town.

DYNES.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment adopted.

Mr. Cravens moved that the constitutional rule be suspended, but the motion failed for want of a proper second to the motion.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 473, being:

A bill for an act to establish the office

of city jailer of every city of the first class in the State of Indiana; providing for his appointment, defining his duties, fixing his salary, repealing all laws and parts of law in conflict and fixing time when same shall take effect.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 489, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning rural loan and savings associations," approved March 15, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 315, being:

A bill for an act concerning the repair of open drains.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Green offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 315, be amended:

By inserting after the word "lands" at the end of line two (2) of section one (1), of the printed bill, the words, "in acreage;" also

By striking out the words "drainage system" in line three (3) of said section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "open drain or drains;" also

By striking out the word "the" in line four (4) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "any;" also

By striking out the last letter "s" in the word "ditches" at the end of said line four (4) of section one (1); also

By striking out the word "and" at the beginning of line five (5) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or;" also

By striking out the last letter "s"

of the word "drains" in line five (5) of said section one (1); also

By striking out the words "making up such drainage system" in said line five (5) of section one (1); also

By striking out the last letter "s" in the word "drains" and the last letter "s" in the word "ditches" in line seven (7) of section one (1); also

By striking out the word "and" in said line seven (7) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or;" also

By striking out the last three words "making up such" at the end of line seven (7) and the words "drainage system" at the beginning of line eight (8) of section one (1); also

By striking out the word "and" in line nine (9) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "or;" also

By striking out the last letter "s" in the words "drains" and "ditches," respectively, in line nine (9) of section one (1); also

By striking out the words "drainage system" in line eleven (11) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "drain."

GREEN.

The amendment was not adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 472, being:

A bill for an act to establish the office of probation officer for the city court in every city of the first class in the State of Indiana; providing for his appointment, defining his duties and fixing his salary and fixing time when same shall take effect.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 501, being:

A bill for an act concerning granting and renewal of license to sell intoxicating liquor and prorating the fee therefor.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Bill No. 501 by inserting after the word "retail" in line three (3) of section one (1) the words "or wholesale;" and by adding on line five (5) of section two (2) the following: "Existing wholesale or retail license may be renewed or extended by the board of commissioners for any fractional period during the year ending April 2, 1918, all of which fractional licenses shall expire April 2, 1918;" and by adding an additional section to said bill, as follows: "Section 3. Whereas an emergency exists for the taking effect of the provisions of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage."

KIMMEL.

Mr. Cravens moves that the bill be recommitted to the Committee.

Mr. Kimmel moves to lay the motion on the table.

Kimmel's motion prevailed.

Kimmel's amendment was adopted and with the bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker ordered the roll of counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 588, by Mr. Walker:

A bill for an act entitled "An act creating health districts in this state, providing for professional all-time district health officers, prescribing their duties and powers, providing district health funds, empowering the state

board of health to these ends and repealing conflicting acts."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 589, by Mr. Eikenberry:

A bill for an act concerning banking reserves.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 590, by Mr. Grube:

A bill for an act providing for appeal from decisions of the state board of health of Indiana and prescribing certain procedure.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 591, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act concerning the per diem and expenses of members of the state board of health, and providing for the legalizing of payments heretofore made and granting relief for per diem repaid by certain members.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 592, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act concerning the management and control of county poor asylums in certain counties, providing for the appointment of boards of directors, providing for the transfer of powers and duties from the boards of county commissioners to such boards of directors and repealing all conflicting laws and part of laws.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 593, by Habermel (by request):

A bill for an act concerning interest on banking deposits.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 594, by Habermel (by request):

A bill for an act defining, licensing, taxing and regulating the use of trading stamps, coupons, certificates and similar devices, providing for the collection of the tax, affixing penalties for violations of the act and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 595, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 596, by Davis of Lake:

A bill for an act concerning sanitary mouth pieces on telephones in public pay stations.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Telegraph and Telephones.

House Bill No. 597, by Dynes:

A bill for an act concerning the registration of orphan, dependent, neglected, abandoned and destitute children and providing that a legally adopted child shall retain as a part of its name the surname of its natural father.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 598, by Jameson (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the appointment of receivers for certain classes of corporations, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 599, by Mr. Jacoby:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning the common schools of this state, defining the duties of certain officers connected therewith, legalizing certain acts of school trustees, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 600, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act authorizing the governor to appoint a commission to investigate and gather all evidence, proof and statements of the citizens of the state for the purpose of determining the way through Indiana traveled by Abraham Lincoln and his father's family in 1830 when they removed to Illinois; and giving the commission power and authority to administer oaths, compel attendance of witnesses, employ a clerk and appropriating money for the necessary expense of investigation and report.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 601, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act concern-

ing drainage, and repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 602, by Mr. Hessong:

A bill for an act giving right of action for damages for the introduction of impurities into the public streams and waters of the state by any city, town or other municipal corporation.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 603, by Mr. Hoffman:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning the care of cemeteries, and providing for the management, maintenance and taking care of public cemeteries, and repealing an act entitled 'An act concerning the care of cemeteries, and repealing an act entitled an act providing for the management, maintenance and taking care of public or private cemeteries, approved March 4, 1905, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 6, 1911," approved March 6, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 604, by Mr. Wright of Randolph.

A bill for an act declaring eight (8) hours a legal day's work for employees who are obliged to work seven (7) days out of each week.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 605, by Mr. Wright of Randolph (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend

section two (2) of an act entitled 'An act providing for the election and prescribing certain duties of the county surveyor, approved June 17, 1852,' approved March 3, 1911;" to provide compensation for county surveyors for duties provided in this act, and authorizing appointments of assistants to county surveyors in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 606, by Mr. Hepler:

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) and the title of an act entitled "An act to establish free employment offices in certain cities, the appointment of superintendents and clerks for said offices and making appropriations for the payment therefor," approved March 6, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 607, by Mr. Kimmel (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections four (4), five (5) six (6), eight (8), nine (9), eleven (11), twelve (12), and fourteen (14) of an act entitled 'An act to establish a state board of health, defining its powers and duties, providing for a system of registration, and report of vital and sanitary statistics in connection therewith, and prescribing the duties of certain officers in relation thereto; providing for town, city and county boards of health, prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, fixing an appropriation for the expenses of the same, repealing acts in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' passed notwithstanding the Governor's veto February 19, 1891, and repealing all laws in con-

flict therewith," approved March 6, 1909.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 608, by Mr. McNagney:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act to create a state normal school, and declaring an emergency," approved December 20, 1865.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 609, by Mr. Harmon:

A bill for an act authorizing the sale of park lands, and minerals, mineral rights and royalties for minerals thereunder, in cities of the fifth class in the State of Indiana, and providing for platting such park lands before such sale, and providing for the distribution of the proceeds derived from such sale.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 610, by Mr. Mason:

A bill for an act providing for the payment of sheriffs of county for services to counties outside their jurisdiction.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.



## THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

February 15, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 106, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to refer House Bill No. 106 to a committee of one, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

In section three (3), line three (3) of printed bill by inserting after the word "salary" in said line the following "not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars per year,"

In section five (5), line eight (8) of printed bill by inserting after the word "Governor" in said line 8 the following: "Such compensation shall not exceed twelve hundred dollars per year for anyone of said assistants or employees."

In section twelve (12), of printed bill, by striking out line three (3) of said section and by striking out of line 9 of said section twelve (12) the word "Geologist" and by striking out section fourteen (14) and by striking out of line 107, section twenty-four (24), the word "Geologist."

CRAVENS.

Mr. McGonagle moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis

of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hesong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 62.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burr, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 34.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 358, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Miltenberger moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Hyland, Harmon, Jacoby, Jameson, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Mosier, Myers, Overmyer, Ryan, Swain, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Wright of Randolph, Total, 42.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Behmer, Buller, Coggins, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Harker, Harris, Haslanger, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 52.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 390, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that printed Engrossed House Bill No. 390 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend said bill by striking out of line five (5) in section one (1) of

said bill the words "directly or by inference."

McNAGNY.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, the author, to which was referred printed Engrossed House Bill No. 390, with specific instructions to amend, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report back to the House that the said bill has been amended as instructed, by striking out the words "directly or by inference" in line five (5) of section one (1).

JINNETT.

Which amendment was adopted and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Total, 85.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Ryan, Walker, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill, with amendment, was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 464, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Moore offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move that House Bill 464 be referred to a committee of one, its author, to be amended as follows:

In line three (3) strike out the word and figure "twenty (20)" and insert the word "two hundred." In line ten (10) to strike out the word "shall" and insert the word "may," section one.

**MOORE.**

Which motion was lost.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Bartel, Bayer, Burtt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagany, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 54.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Buller, Clapp, Davis of Jay, Day, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, McClaskey, Mason, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Read, Scott, Sipe, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 393 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagany, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wines-

burg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 82.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act? It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 279, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Heppler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 80.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was ordered to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 381, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Curry, Davis of Jay, Haslanger, Houghton, McGonagle, McNagny, Miller of Howard, Overmyer, Turner, Wood. Total, 11.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 432, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 57.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Jacoby, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mushett, Myers, Ryan, Sipe, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 214, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmell, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 90.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 369, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Aldredge, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 202, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Gentry offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 202 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend section one (1) of said bill as follows:

"Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That all bonds heretofore issued, or to be issued, and sold pursuant to any order of the board of commissioners of any county of this state for the purpose of providing funds to pay for the construction of any ditch or drain constructed in two or more counties under any existing law of this state, providing for the construction of drains in two or more counties, where the contract for the construction of said drain has been let and the work of constructing the same has been completed and accepted, but where the costs of such construction and incidental expenses connected therewith exceed the benefits as assessed against the land affected by such drain, and where said drain has been completed and said bonds issued or ordered without objection by any landowner affected, and where no appeals or other form of litigation are pending in relation thereto, be and the same are hereby legalized, and all proceedings or acts of any such board of commissioners, court, or other officer under which said bonds were issued or ordered are hereby fully legalized and declared valid."

GENTRY.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Gentry offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to whom was referred House Bill No. 202 for specific amendment, begs leave to report that bill has been amended as specifically directed.

GENTRY.

The amendment was adopted and ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Downey and Mr. Speaker.

Total, 2.

The bill, with amendment, was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 236, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 87.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cooper, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 370, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Bul-

ler, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Southard Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Hessong, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Montgomery, Overmyer, Sipe, Westrick, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay, Mr. Speaker. Total, 14.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 445, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler,

Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Day. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 282, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Clapp moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Adams, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes,



Eikenberry, Eeisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder., Total, 85.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Harker, Johnson of Grant, Symons, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act.

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 107, 112, 114, 122, 127, 173, 177, 217, 219, 234, and 262; also Engrossed House Bills Nos. 6, 28, 125, 207 and has also concurred in House amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 11 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 308, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Walker moved that the bill be made a special order for 2:00 o'clock to-morrow.

Mr. Dilworth moved that said motion be amended by making it a special order for 10:00 'clock to-morrow.

Motion to amend prevailed, and the bill was made a special order for 10 o'clock to-morrow.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 234, by Senator Fleming:

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage and repealing laws in conflict," approved March 11, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 262, by Senators Reidelbach and Smith:

A bill for an act concerning the cleaning and repair of dredge ditches.

The bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Drains and Dikes.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 219, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act to provide for establishing and operating municipal public markets, and authorizing appropriations therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 177, by Senator Wolfson:

A bill for an act for the dissolution of corporations organized under the laws

of the State of Indiana in cases where receivers have been appointed for such corporations, and providing the method for such dissolution, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 173, by Senator Reidelbach:

A bill for an act relating to lands heretofore sold by the trustees of the Wabash and Erie Canal, authorizing the auditor of state to execute deeds to the purchasers thereof or the grantees, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 127, by Senator Reser:

A bill for an act to create a legislative and administrative information department in the state library, prescribing its duties, providing for a legislative and administrative librarian in such department, making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act, and repealing certain laws.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Public Libraries.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 122, by Senator Kolsem:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning county superintendents, their qualification for office, compensation, and providing for the appointment of assistants," approved March 2, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 107, by Senator Van Auken:

A bill for an act concerning the descent of property.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 112, by Senator Retherford:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning labor; regulating the payment of wages and providing for the recovery of liquidated damages and attorneys fees." approved February 24, 1913, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Labor.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 114, by Senator Summers:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act approved May 12th, 1869, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of savings banks, and the safe and proper management of its affairs," and amended by an act approved March 7th, 1873, entitled "An act to amend the fifteenth, nineteenth, thirty-first and forty-ninth sections of an act approved May 12th, 1869, entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of savings banks, and the safe and proper management of its affairs, and declaring an emergency', approved March 3, 1893," approved March 7, 1903, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Friday morning, February 16, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH.

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY MORNING.

February 16, 1917.

The House met at 10:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Hessong.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 96.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Henke, Hougham, Jacoby. Total, 4.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, February 15th, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Eikenberry the

House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 562, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DYNES.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 591, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

McGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 184, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line two (2), section one (1), the words and figures "one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)."

By striking out of line three (3), section one (1), the word "annually."

By striking out of line six (6), section one (1), the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "five hundred dollars (\$500)."

By striking out all of line eleven (11), after the period following the word

"department" and all of line twelve (12) in said section one (1), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

McGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 551, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the words "the day before loading" in line ten (10) and eleven (11), section two (2).

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 510, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 555, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out section three (3), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 490, has had the same under consideration

and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 105, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY,  
WOODS,  
WILLIAMS,  
JAMESON,  
READ,  
SAMBOR,  
DILWORTH,  
HARRIS.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 105, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by adding section four (4).

Section 4. The provisions of this bill shall not go into effect until the term of office for which the present incumbents were elected or appointed has expired.

WALKER,  
HARMON,  
KRIEG.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was lost and the minority report of the committee was not substituted for the majority report.

The majority report was adopted by the House, and the bill was ordered printed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 150, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 577, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 90, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 6, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 568, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 586, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 571, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be referred to Judiciary B.

HARRIS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 314, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 593, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 589, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

**SYMONS.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 579, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 346, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 558, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 608, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 578, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 535, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**KESSLER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 451, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**HARKER.**

House concurred in the report.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 247, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

**WOODS.**

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 345, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That whenever any person shall in good faith have pledged any corporate stock or deposited such stock with any other person as collateral security for a debt, the stock so pledged or deposited as collateral, shall not be subject to execution, attachment or other legal process issued in any action against such pledger or depositor, except to the extent that the value of such stock shall exceed the amount actually due and owing on account of such pledge or on the debt to which such deposit is collateral.

In any action wherein it is sought to subject any corporate stock which has been pledged or deposited as collateral security for a debt, to the payment of any other indebtedness of the pledger or depositor, the execution or attaching creditor may pay into court the amount stated to be actually due and owing on account of such pledge or collateral agreement, and thereafter such corporate stock and the proceeds of any sale thereof shall in all respects be subject to the orders and decrees of the court issuing the process involving the same. The pledger or depositor under collateral agreement may file a verified answer, setting up his or its interest in such stock, and the burden of proof shall be upon the execution or attaching creditor to rebut the allegations set forth in such answer, and if he fails to so rebut the same, the court shall order the payment of the amount ascertained to be due to such pledger or depositor, together with its costs in such proceeding

expended out of the proceeds of a sale of such stock: Provided, That such pledger or depositor, may at its option pay the amount of such execution or attachment indebtedness, when the same has been adjudicated by the court, and shall thereupon be entitled to add the same to the indebtedness originally secured and have the same secured in all respects the same as the original pledge, indebtedness or loan.

Section 2. There shall be no lien in favor of the corporation upon the shares represented by a certificate hereafter issued by such corporation and there shall be no restriction upon the transfer of shares so represented by virtue of any by-law of such corporation, unless the right of the corporation to such lien or restriction is stated upon the certificate in such form as to put all persons on inquiry.

Section 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section 4. Nothing in this act shall be construed to affect any pending litigation.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

WOODS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 557, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 154, has had the

same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

TURNER,  
LAFUZE,  
KIMMEL,  
DYNES,  
BULLER,  
HOUGHTON.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 154, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER,  
JOHNSON,  
MCNAGNY,  
BAYER,  
VESEY.

The question being, Shall the minority report be substituted for the majority report?

Mr. Geddes moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question was carried and the minority report of the committee was substituted for the majority report.

House concurred in the substituted report and the bill was ordered printed.

House Resolution.

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Indiana that hereafter, throughout the remainder of the session, no member shall be permitted to speak for a longer time than fifteen minutes unless it be by unanimous consent of the House.

MILLER of Howard,

Which resolution was adopted by the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 243, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: That section two (2) of said bill be stricken out, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 356, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 359, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 38, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

House concurred in the report.



MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 468, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 515, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 536, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 244, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 534, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 255, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting in line seven (7) of section one (1), after the word "pupils" the words "of compulsory school age." And when so amended said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 519, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

READ.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 176, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "tunnel," section one (1), line five (5), "six hundred feet (600 ft.) or more in length." And when so amended that said bill do pass.

BEHMER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

The majority of your Committee on

State Medicine, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 452, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

READ,  
JOHNSON,  
HESSONG,  
COGGINS,  
GENTRY,  
JINNETT,  
KESSLER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on State Medicine, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 452, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ADAMS,  
COOPER,  
GRUBE.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was carried and the minority report of the committee was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 272, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which

was referred House Bill No. 520, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 492, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

LAFUZE,  
MASON,  
MOORE,  
DOUGLAS,  
O'LEARY,  
MILLER.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 492, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL,  
GREEN,  
BAYER.

The question being, Shall the minority report be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was carried and the minority report of the committee was substituted for the majority report.

House concurred in the substituted report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 75, has had the same under considera-

tion and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That the first word in line seven (7), of section one (1) be stricken out.

That in line ten (10), section two (2), the word "stock" be stricken out and the word "stockholders" be substituted therefor.

That at the close of section two (2) the following words be added: "Provided such name is made so as to conform to the law and so as not to conflict with or resemble the name of any other financial institution already in the same county, that after the consolidation of two or more banks or trust companies the charter of the old companies should be surrendered to the auditor of state and by him cancelled. And when so amended that said bill do pass.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 503, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SOUTHARD,

DAY,

AXBY,

BONHAM,

JINNETT,

DYNES,

GORSKI,

MASON,

WALTZ,

BEHMER.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 503, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report

the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MOORE,

SWAIN.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

Messrs. Cook and Downey demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Buller, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Duffey, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hession, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 38.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kessler, Krieg, McNagny, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 50.

The minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 1:30 in the afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

February 16, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 89, being:

A bill for an act concerning the regulation and adjustment of lights on motor vehicles.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Symons offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that printed House Bill No. 89 be amended by inserting the word "visible" between the words "clearly" and "within" in line three (3) of section one (1).

SYMONS.

Which motion prevailed and the bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 392, being:

A bill for an act authorizing the voluntary admission of persons to the state hospitals for the insane, providing for their care and treatment, permitting the voluntary payment of the cost thereof, and authorizing extensions of the hospital service.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 463, being:

A bill for an act concerning courts of Vigo County; providing for the establishment of an additional superior court.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Cook offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 463, by inserting after the word "act" in line seven (7), section one (1), the following: "and his term of office shall commence on the first day of January, 1919."

Cook.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 496, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section twenty-two (22) of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of savings banks and the safe and proper management of their affairs,' approved May 12th, 1869," approved March 9, 1903.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 507, being:

A bill for an act to regulate the sale and to prohibit the display of pistols, revolvers and other dangerous and deadly weapons.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 539, being:

A bill for an act to establish a state athletic commission and to define the powers and duties thereof and provide for the control and regulation of athletic matches.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 254, being:

A bill for an act concerning the regulation of traffic on the public highways.

Said bill was read a second time and was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 466, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the levying of a license tax on corporations for the privilege of exercising corporate franchises or of doing business in this state.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harmon offered the following motion:

I move that House Bill No. 466, be amended as follows:

Section one (1) by striking out in lines eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) the words, "or if a dividend of less than three percent (3%) is declared or earned," also by striking out in line twenty-one (21) the words, "three-fourths ( $\frac{3}{4}$ )" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ )," also insert after line twenty-three (23) an additional clause to be numbered two (2), to read as follows: "if a dividend of not more than six per cent (6%) is declared or earned on any kind or portion of capital stock during any year ending with the first day of January, then at the rate of three-fourths ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ) of a mill on each dollar of capital stock employed in the state, as hereinbefore determined, and that clauses "two, three and four" be renumbered as "three, four and five" respectively; also that the words, "three per cent (3%)" in line twenty-four (24) be stricken out and that there be inserted in lieu thereof, the words, "six per cent (6%) or more;" by striking out the comma before the word "eight" in line thirty-three (33) and inserting

in lieu thereof the word "and;" by striking out in line thirty-three (33) the words, "and nine (9);" and by changing the period after the word "act" in line thirty-four (34) to a semi-colon; and by adding after the word "act" in line thirty-four (34) the words, "nor shall this section apply to foreign insurance companies."

That section two (2) be amended by striking out in line seven (7) the words, "one-half of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1%);" and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "one-fourth of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1%)."

That section four (4) be amended by striking out in lines five (5) and six (6) the words, "one per cent (1%)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "one-half of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1%)."

Section five (5) by striking out lines five (5) to twelve (12) inclusive; also renumber clauses "c" and "d" as "a" and "b"; also by striking out the words "one per cent (1%)" in lines fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) and insert in lieu thereof the words, "one-half of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1%);" also by striking out the words, "one per cent (1%)" in line eighteen (18), and insert in lieu thereof the words, "one-half of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1%)."

In section six (6) by striking out in lines seven (7) and eight (8) the words, "one-half of one per cent ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1%)," and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "one-tenth of one per cent (1-10 of 1%)."

By striking out section eight (8) and renumbering sections nine (9) to sixteen (16) inclusive, as sections eight (8) to fifteen (15) inclusive.

Section nine (9) by striking out the words, "title guaranty company" in line three (3); also insert in line six (6) after the word "estate" the words, "which real estate is situate outside the State of Indiana;" also strike out the words, "one per cent (1%)" in line ten (10) and insert in lieu thereof the words, "one-eighth of one per cent

(1-8 of 1%);" also insert after the word "companies" and before the word "and" in line thirteen (13), a comma followed by the words "insurance companies;" also strike out the word "companies" at the end of line thirteen (13) and insert in lieu thereof the word "associations."

Section ten (10) line sixty-six (66) strike out the words "January first" and insert in lieu thereof the words "December thirty-first;" by adding a new paragraph to section ten (10) following line sixty-six (66) of said section, as follows: "Provided, that the contents of the reports required by this section to be made to the state board of tax commissioners shall not be made public by said state board of tax commissioners except upon the order of a court of competent jurisdiction."

HARMON.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 368, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the repair and maintenance of public drains.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 269, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of "An act relating to the establishment and maintenance of county hospitals for the care of persons afflicted with tuberculosis; providing for the maintenance thereof, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 10, 1913.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 270, being:

A bill for an act for the prevention and control of tuberculosis in the State of Indiana.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 549, being:

A bill for an act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 552, being:

An act to amend section 96 of "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Said bill was read a second time and was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 426, being:

A bill for an act to further conserve the natural resources of the state.

Said bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Joint Resolution No. 1, being:

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section two (2), article two (II) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana relating to qualifications of electors.

The resolution was read a second time.

Mr. Bartel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Joint Resolution No. 1, by striking out the word "three" after the word "states" and before the word "years" in line

ten (10) of section two (2), and by inserting the word "five."

Which motion prevailed, and the resolution, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 245, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Section four (4), line two (2), by inserting after the word "clerk" the words "on or before May 1st of any year."

Line six (6) by striking out the word "thereafter" and inserting in lieu thereof "after the 1st day of May of such year."

Line seven (7), by striking out all of said line after the word "shall" and all of line eight (8), and line nine (9) to and including the word "petition."

Line eleven (11), by striking out the words "from the date of the filing of such petition" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "after the 1st day of May of such year."

Line seventeen (17), by striking out all of line seventeen (17) after the word "elections" and all of lines eighteen (18), nineteen (19) and twenty (20).

Section five (5), line six (6), by striking out the word "would" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "do."

Section eight (8), line one (1), by striking out the words "in case of a special election under" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "whenever an election is held for the purpose provided for in section four (4) of"

Line ten (10), by inserting after the word "inspector" the words "and sheriff."

Section nine (9), line one (1), by striking out the word "special."

Section eleven (11), line two (2), by striking out the word "special;" and in lines two (2) and three (3) by striking out the words "or in any city or county election canvassers at any regular election."

Line twenty (20), by striking out the word "August" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July" also by striking out the word "calendar" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "odd numbered."

Line twenty-two (22), by striking out the comma after the word "year" and inserting in lieu thereof a period; by striking out all of said section eleven (11) after the word "year" in line twenty-two (22).

By adding to said section the following to-wit: Whenever any city shall have adopted either of the plans of government provided for in this act previous to the first day of July in any even numbered year, the first election of city officers shall be held on the Tuesday following the first Monday in October of that year.

Section twelve (12), line three (3), by inserting the word "numbered" after the word "odd."

Section thirteen, (13), line one (1), by striking out of line one (1) the word "biennial."

Line two (2), by striking out the words "in November of the odd numbered years."

Line three (3), by striking out of said line, beginning with and including the word "two;" all of line four (4) and line five (5) to and including the word "years" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: If said election is held in an odd numbered year, two of said commissioners shall hold their office for two years and three of said commissioners (receiving the highest number of votes) shall hold their office for four years. If said election is held in an even numbered year, two of said com-

missioners shall hold their office for one year, and three of said commissioners (receiving the highest number of votes) shall hold their office for three years.

Section fourteen (14), line one (1), by inserting after the word "voter" the words "of such city."

Section twenty-one (21), line two (2), by striking out the word "presented" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "filed."

Line three (3), by inserting after the words and figures "sixty (60)" the word "days" and by inserting after the word "before" the words "any primary."

Line ten (10), by striking out the words and figures "two (2)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "five (5)."

Section twenty-four (24), line twelve (12), by striking out the words and figures "two (2)" and inserting the word "one."

Section twenty-nine (29), line six (6), by striking out the words "those present" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the commission."

Section thirty-two (32). By adding to said section the following, to-wit: The mayor shall be appointed as provided in section eighty-eight (88) of this act and the city clerk shall be appointed as provided in section eighty-two (82) of this act.

Section thirty-four, line six, by striking out the comma after the word "state" and inserting in lieu thereof a period. By striking out the word "and" following the word "state," and by capitalizing the word "all."

Line twelve (12), by striking out the comma after the word "commission" and inserting in lieu thereof a period. By striking out the word "and" following the word "commission" and by capitalizing the word "the" after the word "and" stricken out.

Line fifteen (15), by striking out the

word "purely" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "strictly."

Section thirty-six (36), line three (3), by striking out the word "annual" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "regular." By striking out the period after the word "election" and inserting the words "under this act."

Line four (4), by striking out the word "annual" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "regular" and by inserting after the word "election" the words "under this act."

Section thirty-seven (37), line five by striking out the words "mayor or" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "a."

Section thirty-nine (39), line four (4), by striking out the word and figure "six (6)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "three (3)."

Line nine (9), by striking out the word and figure "twenty (20)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "thirty (30)."

Section forty (40), line one (1), by striking out the word and figure "twenty (20)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "thirty (30)."

Line four (4), by striking out the words and figures "fifteen per cent (15%)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty per cent (20%)."

Section forty-one, by striking out all of lines 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "as provided by law."

Section forty-seven (47), line four (4), by striking out the word "an" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "a city."

Line eight (8), by inserting after the word "no" the word "city."

Line thirteen (13) by striking out the word and figure "six (6)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "twelve (12)."



Line fifteen (15), by inserting between the words "of" and "ordinances" the word "proposed."

Line sixteen (16), by striking out the word "proposed" and also by striking out the word "any" and inserting in lieu of said last word the word "such."

Section forty-eight (48), by striking out all of lines nine (9), ten (10) and the letters "ers" in line eleven (11), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "are cast in favor of the adoption of the ordinance."

Section fifty-one (51), by adding to said section the words "and shall be appointed as provided for in section eighty-two (82) of this act."

By inserting a new section between section fifty-two (52) and fifty-three (53), to be known as section 52½ as follows, to-wit:

Section 52½. The following executive departments are hereby established.

1. Department of Finance.
2. Department of Public Safety.
3. Department of Public Works.
4. Department of Parks.
5. Department of Public Utilities.

Each of the above executive departments shall have at its head a director, who shall be known at the director of the department and who shall be appointed in accordance with the provisions of section eighty-two (82) of this act.

No other executive department shall be established. The commission may appoint one or more secretaries, not exceeding five to be assigned to the heads of the executive departments as the work of said departments may require.

Section fifty-three, line three, by striking out the word "services" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "and healths departments" and by striking out the word "and" after the word "police" and inserting a comma. And

by adding to said section the following, to-wit: As director of the department of public safety, said commissioner shall also have all the powers and perform all the duties now or hereafter vested by the general laws of this state, relating to municipal corporations, in a city board of health and the secretary of a city board of health. Said director of public safety shall appoint a doctor of medicine who shall be the city health officer.

Section fifty-five (55), line three (3), by striking out the words and figures "fifteenth (15th) day of August" and inserting in lieu thereof the "first day of September."

Section fifty-seven, line six (6), by striking out the period after the word "proposed" and adding to said sentence the following: "relative to the year immediately preceding."

Lines seven (7) and eight (8), by striking out the words "as of the close of the current fiscal year" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "for the current year up to the time of making the statement, and shall add thereto his estimate for the remainder of the current year."

Section fifty-eight, line six (6), by striking out the word "therefore" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thereupon."

Line seven (7), by striking out the word "herein" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "therein."

Line fourteen (14), by striking out the words "such be published" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "daily newspaper be published in such city, then."

Line fifteen (15), by striking out the word "the" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "such."

Line seventeen (17), by striking out the word "year" following the word "current" and inserting in lieu thereof "and two preceding years."

Line nineteen (19), by striking out the word "February" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "January."

Section fifty-nine (59), line twelve (12), by striking out the period after the word "commission" and inserting a comma, and by adding to said section "which appropriation shall be made in the form of an ordinance."

Section sixty (60), lines seven (7) and eight (8), by striking out the words "and the same shall be published in a daily or weekly newspaper."

By inserting a new section between section sixty (60) and sixty-one (61), to be known as section sixty and one-half (60½).

Section 60½. The director of finance shall have the power to make arrangements with the county treasurer of the county in which such city may be located, for the performance of all the duties performed by a county treasurer acting as city treasurer under the laws of this state.

In all cities, not county seats, the director of finance shall appoint a treasurer, and in cities which are county seats, the director of finance may appoint a treasurer, who shall be under the supervision of the director of finance, and whose duty it shall be to collect all street, sewer and other assessments due said city, all license fees and all other money due said city, except general city taxes.

Said treasurer shall give bond, to be approved by the commission, in a sum equal to the largest amount of money he will have on hand at any one time in any year. Said treasurer shall not pay any moneys except upon warrants duly executed by the director of finance. All general city taxes shall be collected by the county treasurer, as now provided by law, and the duties of the county auditor and the county treasurer in relation to the collection

of city taxes shall be the same as now provided by law.

The director of finance, by and with the approval of the commission, shall fix the salary of the city treasurer, and the county treasurer acting as a city treasurer, and shall also fix the remuneration to be paid to the county auditor.

The city taxes shall be levied by the commission in the same manner as the law now provides for levying taxes by the common council, and the rate of levy shall be certified to the county auditor by the director of finance.

Section sixty-one (61), by striking out all of section section sixty-one (61) and inserting in lieu thereof the following, to-wit: The director of public utilities shall be the head of the department of public utilities, and except as otherwise provided in this act, shall have all the powers and perform all the duties now or hereafter vested by the general laws of the state, relating to municipal corporations in cities, as to the supervision, control and operation of all public utilities within such city, subject to the provisions of an act known as the public service commission law, and amendment thereto. Said director of public utilities shall have charge of the preparation and preliminary steps in the granting of franchises therefor, now or hereafter vested by law in the board of public works, the common council and mayor of cities, or board of trustees of any form of public utility.

In cities which do not own public utilities said commission may assign other duties to the director of public utilities in addition to those provided for in this act.

Section sixty-two (62), line six (6), by striking out the words "the treasury" and inserting in lieu thereof "public utilities."

Section sixty-three (63), line one (1), by striking out the words "the treasury"

and inserting in lieu thereof "public utilities."

Section sixty-four (64) line one (1), by striking out the words "the treasury" and inserting in lieu thereof "public utilities."

Line seven (7), by striking out the word "shall" after the word "contract" and inserting the word "shall" after the word "effective" in said line.

Section sixty-five (65), line ten (10), by striking out the words "and shall not" and inserting in lieu thereof "but any surplus may."

Section sixty-seven (67), by striking out all of section sixty-seven (67) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 67. The director of parks shall be the head of the department of parks, and except as otherwise provided in this act, shall have the powers and perform all duties vested by the laws of this state in a department of parks, or board of park commissioners in cities of the first and second class; also in a board of public works, or board of park commissioners or common council in cities of the third and fourth classes, and in the common council or park commissioners of cities of the fifth class, relating to public parks and playgrounds.

The director of parks shall also have all the powers and duties now or hereafter vested by the laws of this state in the board of health and charities in cities of the first class, in the commissioner of public playgrounds, public baths and public comfort stations, in cities of the first class, in the board of school trustees or commissioners in cities of the first, second, third and fourth classes, and in the board of health and charities, board of school commissioners, and board of school trustees in the cities of the second, third, fourth and fifth classes, relative to playgrounds.

The director of parks shall also have the control and supervision of any

municipally owned cemeteries, whether located within or without the city limits, and any other public grounds, not otherwise provided for in this act.

Section sixty-nine (69), line one (1), by inserting after the word "the" the words "civil service."

Section seventy (70,) line six (6), by striking out the period after the word "department" and inserting a comma, and by adding to said sentence the words "if a secretary shall have been appointed."

Section seventy-two (72), line one (1), by inserting between the words "the" and "board" the words "civil service."

Section seventy-nine (79), line one (1), by striking out the word "shall" after the word "commission."

Line two (2), by striking out all of line two (2), beginning with and including the word "by" and all of line three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "shall discharge from the service of the city, any employee recommended by the civil service board for removal, which action shall be final."

Section eighty-two (82), line five (5), by striking out the word "elect" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "appoint."

Section eighty-four (84), line two (2), by inserting between the word "first (1st)" and "second" the word "and;" and by striking out the words "and third (3d)."

Line four (4), by inserting between the words "the" and "fourth" the word "third (3d)."

Line five (5), by striking out the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may."

Line six (6), by striking out the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may."

Section eighty-seven (87), lines six (6) and seven (7), by striking out the words "treasury and" and inserting in

lieu thereof the word "public" and in line seven (7) striking out the word "health" and inserting the word "parks"

Section eighty-nine (89), line eight (8), by striking out the words "treasury and" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "public."

Section ninety (90), by striking out all of said section and inserting in lieu thereof:

Section 90. The commission may provide for the appointment of a purchasing agent, who shall purchase all supplies for the several departments, and said commission shall establish rules and regulations for the proper conduct of said office.

Section ninety-one (91), by striking out all of said section and inserting in lieu thereof:

Section 91. If any city shall have had an election as provided in sections four (4), five (5) and six (6) of this act for the purpose of determining whether such city shall adopt the commission plan, or the commission manager plan of city government, as provided in this act, and shall have decided not to adopt either of said plans, another election shall not be held for the purpose of determining whether such city shall adopt either of said plans of city government for a period of two years thereafter.

Section ninety-eight (98), by striking out all of said section and inserting in lieu thereof:

Section 98. There shall be established the following executive departments, to-wit: Finance, public safety, public utilities, public works and parks, and at the head of each department shall be a director appointed by the city manager.

Section ninety-nine (99), line eight (8), by striking out all of said line after the word "officer" and by striking out all of line nine (9), and inserting in lieu

thereof the words "or employe of such city."

Section one hundred one (101), lines seven (7) and eight (8), by striking out the words "treasury and" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "public."

Section one hundred two (102), by striking out all of said section and inserting in lieu thereof:

Section 102. The commission operating under the commission manager plan of government may provide for the combining or the consolidation of any of the departments herein provided for, and may also provide that the city manager shall have direct charge of the department of public works or the department of public parks, and provided further:

That the department of finance shall not be combined with any other department. The commission may provide for the appointment of a purchasing agent, by the city manager, who shall purchase all supplies for the several departments, and the said purchasing agent shall be under the direction of the city manager.

Section one hundred three (103), by striking out all of said section and inserting in lieu thereof:

Section 103. If any city shall have had an election as provided in sections four (4), five (5) and six (6) of this act, for the purpose of determining whether such city shall adopt the commission plan or the commission manager plan of city government, as provided in this act, and shall have decided not to adopt either of said plans, another election shall not be held for the purpose of determining whether such city shall adopt either of said plans of city government for a period of two years thereafter.

ANDERSON.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

Which report was concurred in.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 342, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, LaFuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Waltz and Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 183, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, LaFuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Robertson. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the titled of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 253, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Black-

more, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, LaFuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Hartke, Haslanger, Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 353, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry,

Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, LaFuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 77.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 302, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of

Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 91.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 465, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kimmel, Krieg, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Scott,

Sipe, Southard, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Gentry, Henke, Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Miles, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Symons, Turner, Woods. Total, 14.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 131, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 131 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by striking out the word "waters" in line five (5), section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "streams."

By striking out the words, "in Lake Michigan" and "comma" after the word "Michigan."

By striking out in line seven (7), section one (1), the words "And except also private ponds."

SIPE.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dynes offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 131, its author, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the

same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "waters" in line five (5), section one (1), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "streams."

By striking out the words, "In Lake Michigan" and "comma" after the word "Michigan."

By striking out in line seven (7), section one (1) the words "and except also private ponds." And when so amended that said bill do pass.

DYNES.

Which report was concurred in.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Houghton, Jacoby, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 56.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Burt, Cronin, Curry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Griffin, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kuhlman, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mosier, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed with amendment.

The amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Senate invited the House to the Senate Chamber to listen to an address by the Honorable Ex-President William H. Taft.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House accepted the invitation.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 308, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Dilworth offered the following motion;

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 308, be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same as follows:

By striking out the line thirteen (13) section two (2) the words "Superintendent or Inspector."

By striking out all of section three (3) and rewriting same to read as follows:

"For all engineering services rendered by the county surveyor when qualified as such competent civil engineer and pertaining to or necessary for the execution of any public improvement he shall be paid at the rate of seven (\$7.00) dollars per diem for each day actually spent upon such work by the engineer in charge thereof, and five (\$5.00) dollars per diem for each day actually



spent on such work by each assistant engineer employed thereon, together with all actual transportation expenses. All claims for services rendered by such engineer or assistant engineers shall be certified to the board of county commissioners by such engineer in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the state board of accounts."

By adding to the end of section five (5) the following: "or apply to any county having a population in excess of two hundred thousand."

DILWORTH.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 308, has had the same under consideration and has amended the same as directed, to-wit:

By striking out the line thirteen (13) section two (2), the words, "Superintendent or Inspector."

By striking out all of section three (3) and rewriting same to read as follows:

"For all engineering services rendered by the county surveyor when qualified as such competent civil engineer and pertaining to or necessary for the execution of any public improvement he shall be paid at the rate of seven (\$7.00) dollars per diem for each day actually spent upon such work by the engineer in charge thereof, and five (\$5.00) dollars per diem for each day actually spent on such work by each assistant engineer employed thereon, together with all actual transportation expenses. All claims for services rendered by such engineer or assistant engineers shall be certified to the board of county commissioners by such engineer in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the state board of accounts."

By adding to the end of section five (5) the following: "or apply to any

county having a population in excess of two hundred thousand."

SYMONS.

Which report was concurred in, and the amendment was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Green, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagany, Mason, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambo, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 52.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Durham, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Houghton, Jacoby, Krieg, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Mr. Speaker. Total, 36.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 366, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Aldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 80.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Hartke. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, by Mr. Beardsley, being:

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section two (2), article two (II), of the constitution of the State of Indiana in regard to qualified electors.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 135, by Senator English, being:

A bill for an act concerning obliteration of records in juvenile courts and penal or correctional institutions.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 161, by Senator Dorrell, being:

A bill for an act to promote the detection of poultry thieves by regulating dealing in poultry, and providing a penalty.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 164, by Senator Fleming, being:

A bill for an act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain state and county officers, fixing certain fees to be taxed in the offices and the salaries of officers therein named, providing for certain employees in certain public offices and fixing their compensation, defining certain duties and liabilities of officers and persons therein named, providing for the distribution of certain moneys, making certain appropriations, declaring certain violations of the provisions of this act to be a misdemeanor and prescribing penalties therefor, providing the time when the same shall take effect as to certain offices therein named, and repealing all conflicting laws, approved March 11, 1895.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 198, by Senator Bracken, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to create a state charter board for the purpose of making a careful examination into the financial standing and character of the organizers and incorporators or partners; also for the public necessity of the business in the community in which it is sought to establish a bank of discount and deposit, savings bank, or loan, trust or safe deposit company, and if the board shall determine either of the questions unfavorably to said applicants, organizers or partners, it shall refuse said charter, and declaring an emergency," approved March 9, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204, by Senator Metzger, being:

A bill for an act to repeal section twelve (12) of an act entitled, "An act concerning telephone companies and supplemental to 'An act for the incorporation of manufacturing and mining companies and companies for mechanical, chemical and building purposes,' approved May 20, 1852, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto and declaring an emergency," approved April 7, 1881, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Telephones and Telegraphs.

Message from the Governor:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House Enrolled Bill No. 39, and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,

Governor.

February 15, 1917.

House Joint Resolution No. 2, being:

A joint resolution amending section two (2), article two (II), of the constitution of the State of Indiana.

The resolution was read a second time.

The joint resolution was ordered engrossed.

Message to the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 135, 161, 164, 198, 204, Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution 11; Engrossed House Bills 15, 69, 108, 133, 240; Engrossed House Bills Nos. 80 and 192, with amendments, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Message to the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Governor has approved Senate Enrolled Act No. 4, and the same has been deposited with the Secretary of State.

GUY R. YORK,

Secretary of the Senate.

House Joint Resolution No. 3, being:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to section one (1) of article ten (X) of the constitution of the State of Indiana exempting from taxation the property of all soldiers and sailors who served in either the Mexican or Civil Wars, and the property of the widows of all such soldiers and sailors who were married prior to 1870.

Said joint resolution was ordered engrossed.

House Joint Resolution No. 4, being:

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to section one (1) of article (X) of the Constitution concerning the exemption of the property of widows from taxation.

Said joint resolution was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning, February 17, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

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## SATURDAY MORNING.

February 17th, 1917.

The House met at 9:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair. •

Prayer was offered by the Rev. M. C. Pearson, Secretary the Church Federation of Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 85.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Griffin, Harker, Helper, Hougham, Kessler, Krieg, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Vesey. Total, 15.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, February 16th, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miles the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of Committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 569, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 531, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 58, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause and in lieu thereof substituting the following:

That the term "petroleum oil" as used in this act shall be construed to mean petroleum oil and products thereof used for light, fuel and the production of power.

Sec. 2. All petroleum oil as defined in section one (1) of this act, whether manufactured in this state or not, shall be subject to inspection and test by the state oil inspector of this state in the way and manner provided in this act, before the same can lawfully be

sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state, which inspection and test shall be for the purpose of ascertaining whether the petroleum oil complies with the requirements of the standards of safety and purity which the state oil inspector is in section seven (7) of this act authorized and directed to establish.

Sec. 3. The chemist of the state board of health shall by virtue of his employment as chemist of the state board of health be and he hereby is made state oil inspector and the duties devolving upon him under this act shall be additional to his duties as chemist of the state board of health. While performing any duty cast upon him by this act he shall be known as the state oil inspector. He shall make and subscribe an oath faithfully and honestly to perform all the duties required of him under this act and shall file the same in the office of the secretary of state, and shall execute a bond to the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), with surety to be approved by the secretary of state, conditioned upon the faithful performance by him of all duties imposed upon him by this act, which bond shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state. The state oil inspector shall at all times maintain an office in the city of Indianapolis, Indiana, and he is hereby empowered and authorized to appoint not to exceed three (3) deputies, which deputies when appointed by him, together with the deputies of the pure food and drug department, are hereby authorized to take samples of petroleum oil sold offered or exposed for sale in this state, for use in this state, and submit the same to the state oil inspector for testing and inspection under this act. The state oil inspector may appoint one (1) chief chemist and one (1) assistant chemist for such laboratory

and one (1) clerk for the general work of his office as state oil inspector. The salary of the state oil inspector, additional to his salary as chemist to the state board of health, and the salary of the deputies, chief chemist, assistant chemist and clerk, whose appointments are provided for in this section, shall be fixed by the governor, and shall be paid out of the oil inspection fund, if the money in such fund be sufficient to pay the same, otherwise, out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated. The state oil inspector is hereby authorized to purchase and install such laboratory equipment as may be necessary for the testing and inspection of petroleum oil under this act in an amount to be approved by the governor, and the same shall be paid for out of the state treasury. The state oil inspector may remove for cause any of the deputies, or the chief chemist, or the assistant chemist or the clerk, whose appointments are provided for in this section, at any time and appoint others in their places. The deputies, chief chemist, assistant chemist or clerk shall be allowed and paid their expenses while traveling in the discharge of any duty under this act.

Sec. 4. Before any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person may lawfully sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured in this state or not, for use in this state, except as provided in section five (5) of this act, he shall obtain from the state oil inspector a certificate authorizing him to make such sale, offer or exposure for sale, which certificate, to be known as a certificate of permission, shall be issued to him by the state oil inspector only after the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person desiring such certificate shall have fully complied with the provisions of this section relative to such application.

Any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person desiring to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured in this state or not, shall make an application in writing to the state oil inspector for permission to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state petroleum oil, which application shall state the name and business address of the applicant and shall contain statements that the applicant, if a certificate of permission be issued to him by the state oil inspector, agrees to pay to the state oil inspector a fee or charge of one fourth of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) for each and every gallon of petroleum oil sold by the applicant for the first time in this state for use in this state from and after the issuance of the certificate of permission, and that the applicant will at all times comply fully and promptly with each and every requirement of this act. The application shall be signed by the applicant, and shall be kept permanently on file in the office of the state oil inspector.

At the time of the filing of the application for the issuance of the certificate of permission the applicant shall also file with the state oil inspector at his office a bond with surety to the approval of the state oil inspector securing and guaranteeing the payments by the applicant of any and all sums to become payable to the state oil inspector from the sales of petroleum oil for the first time in this state for use in this state by the applicant under the provisions of this act from and after the date of the certificate of permission.

Upon the filing of such application and bond, if each complies with the requirements of this act, and if the bond be approved by the state oil inspector, the state oil inspector shall issue to the applicant a certificate of permission for the sale, offer or exposure for sale

by the applicant for the first time in this state for use in this state petroleum oil of the standards of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the issuance of the certificate of permission. No permission shall at any time be given by the state oil inspector to any applicant to sell, offer or expose for sale any petroleum oil of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the issuance of the certificate of permission, and such permission, if given, shall be null and void and shall afford no protection in the case of any prosecution for any violation of any of the provisions of this act to any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall have obtained such a certificate and while holding such certificate shall have sold, offered or exposed for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time the petroleum oil was sold, offered or exposed for sale.

All certificates of permission issued prior to February 1, 1918, shall end on February 1, 1918, and shall be null and void for any purpose after February 1, 1918. All certificates of permission issued after February 1, 1918, shall end on February 1st following the date of issuance, and no certificate shall be issued for a longer time than February 1st, immediately following the date of issuance.

It shall be unlawful for any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil until the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall have first obtained from

the state oil inspector the certificate of permission required by this section.

Any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil without having first obtained from the state oil inspector a certificate of permission as required in this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each sale, and each offer and each exposure for sale shall be and is hereby made a separate offense. The words "sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state" used in this and other section of this act are hereby declared to refer to and mean the first sale, offer or exposure for sale of petroleum oil made in this state while the petroleum oil is in this state.

Sec. 5. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person desiring to sell for the first time in this state any petroleum oil for use in this state, whether manufactured in this state or not, shall desire to pay the charge or fee per gallon fixed in section six (6) of this act, in cash at the time of such sale without the issuance of any certificate of permission to him as required in section four (4) of this act, he shall be permitted to make such sale without the issuance of such certificate of permission to him, provided he complies with the requirements of this section. He shall, at the time of such sale, report in writing under oath to the state oil inspector the correct number of gallons of the kind of petroleum oil sold by him and shall state in said written report the name or names with the places of residence, of the persons to whom the petroleum oil has been sold, and shall pay to the state

oil inspector at the time of the making of such sale and report the fee of one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) per gallon as fixed in section six (6) of this act. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person availing himself of the privilege under this section of paying in cash the charge or fee at the time of the sale without the issuance of a certificate of permission to him, shall make any false statement in the report under oath required to be made by him under this section to the state oil inspector, he shall be guilty of perjury, and, upon conviction, shall suffer the penalty prescribed by law for perjury.

Sec. 6. Every manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to whom a certificate of permission shall have been issued by the state oil inspector shall pay to the state oil inspector monthly a fee or charge of one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) for each and every gallon of petroleum oil sold by him for the first time in this state for use in this state whether manufactured in this state or not. Every manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to whom a certificate of permission shall have been issued by the state oil inspector, shall not later than the tenth day of each month make a statement in writing, under oath, to the state oil inspector, giving the correct number of gallons of petroleum oil of all kinds sold for the first time in this state for use in this state, by such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person for the calendar month immediately preceding the date of said monthly report, which statement shall be filed by the state oil inspector and shall be permanently kept on file by him in his office. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, dealer, agent or person shall make a false statement of the number of gallons sold he shall be guilty of perjury, and, upon conviction,

shall suffer the penalty prescribed by law for perjury. At the time of the making of the sworn monthly statement of the number of gallons of petroleum oil sold in this state for the calendar month preceding the date of the said report to the state oil inspector, the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall have sold the number of gallons set out in the sworn statement, shall pay to the state oil inspector one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) for each and every gallon shown by the sworn statement to have been sold for the first time in this state for use in this state the preceding calendar month. Said amount shall be due and payable to the state oil inspector without any demand for the payment on the part of the state oil inspector. It shall be and is hereby made the duty of the state oil inspector to make out a list of all manufacturers, jobbers, wholesalers, importers, dealers, agents or persons who fail, refuse or neglect to pay to the state oil inspector the amount due as shown by the said sworn statement and within ten (10) days after the tenth day of the month in which the amount was due and payable give such list to the attorney general of this state, and said attorney general shall at once take action to collect the same from such delinquent manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person and from the surety on his bond. If the tenth day of any month shall fall on a legal holiday then the monthly report and payment required by this section shall be made to the state oil inspector on the first day not a legal holiday following the tenth day of the month. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall fail, refuse or neglect to make said written and sworn statement as required by this section, showing the number of gallons of petroleum oil sold the preceding calendar month, or shall fail



or refuse or neglect to pay the amount due under this act on or before the tenth day of the month immediately following, then the state oil inspector shall at once revoke and cancel the certificate of permission issued to such delinquent and said delinquent after said revocation or cancellation shall have no right to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil until a new certificate shall have been issued to him, and if he shall sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil after his certificate has been revoked and cancelled by the state oil inspector and before a new certificate shall have been issued to him by the state oil inspector, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each sale, and each offer or exposure for sale shall be and is hereby made a separate offense.

Sec. 7. All petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state whether manufactured in this state or not, shall at all times be safe and pure and afford a satisfactory light when used for illuminating purposes, a satisfactory motive power when used for power purposes, and a satisfactory fuel when used for fuel purposes. To the end that all petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in the state for use in this state shall afford a satisfactory light when used for illuminating purposes and a satisfactory motive power when used for power purposes and a satisfactory fuel when used for fuel purposes, the state oil inspector is hereby authorized and directed to establish standards of safety and purity for all the different kinds of petroleum oil that lawfully may

be sold or offered or exposed for sale within this state for use in this state which standards shall conform as nearly as possible to the standards of safety and purity established or that may hereafter be established by the United States bureau of standards. The standards of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector shall at all times be kept on file in his office and shall at all reasonable hours be open for inspection by all persons who may desire to see and inspect the same. It shall be the duty of the state oil inspector to furnish at any and all times upon request copies of standards of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector to all persons who may request such copies. It shall also be the duty of the state oil inspector to furnish upon request without any charge, to all persons making a request therefor the names of all manufacturers, jobbers, wholesalers, importers, dealers, agents or persons holding unrevoked and uncanceled certificates of permission.

For the purpose of obtaining and securing for the users of petroleum oil in this state a satisfactory light when the petroleum oil is used for illuminating purposes, and a satisfactory motive power when the petroleum oil is used for power purposes, and a satisfactory fuel when the petroleum oil is used for fuel purposes, the state oil inspector is hereby authorized to change at the times herein set out the standards of safety and purity of petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state, for use in this state, if by any changes in the standards of safety and purity at the times herein set out a more satisfactory light or a more satisfactory motive power or a more satisfactory fuel can be obtained and secured. All standards of safety and purity established under this act prior to February 1, 1918, shall remain in force unchanged until February 1, 1918, at which time any

or all of the then existing standards of safety and purity may be changed by the state oil inspector, and on the first day of February in each year thereafter the state oil inspector may change any and all standards of safety and purity. No changes by the state oil inspector shall be made at any other time than the times set forth in this section.

Sec. 8. It shall be unlawful for any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to sell offer or expose for sale in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured in this state or not, for use in this state, of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of such sale, offer or exposure for sale, and any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person selling, or offering or exposing for sale in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured in this state or not, of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of such sale, offer or exposure for sale, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a penalty, and shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each sale shall constitute a separate offense and each day any offer or exposure for sale is made shall constitute a separate offense.

Sec. 9. It shall be unlawful for any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to sell or offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for the use in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured in this state or not, until after the fee or charge of one-fourth of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) for each and every gallon shall have been paid in the way

and manner provided in this act, and if any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall sell, or shall offer to sell or shall expose for the purpose of selling any petroleum oil for the first time in this state, for use in this state, whether manufactured in this state or not, until after the payment of the fee or charge of one-fourth of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) for each and every gallon shall have been paid to the state oil inspector or secured, as provided in this act, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each sale shall be and is hereby made a separate offense, and each day any offer for sale or exposure for sale is made be and is hereby made a separate offense.

Sec. 10. All money received by the state oil inspector under this act shall be by the state oil inspector paid into the state treasury within ten (10) days from the time the money shall be received by him, and by the state treasurer shall be kept as a separate fund to be known as the oil inspection fund. The money in said fund shall be used for the purposes of defraying the expenses connected with the inspection and testing of petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state under the provisions of this act, and, whereas the public highways of this state are generally and extensively used in the marketing of petroleum oil in this state, and are generally and extensively used by motor driven vehicles, the propelling power of which is gasoline, which is a product of petroleum oil as defined in section one (1) of this act, and whereas such use of the highways of this state for the marketing of petroleum oil subject to inspection and testing by the state

oil inspector under the provisions of this act, and such use by motor driven vehicles, has done and does do great damage to said highways thereby necessitating continual repair and reconstruction of said highways at great expense, the amount, if any, remaining in said oil inspection fund after the payment of all lawful expenditures connected with the inspection and testing of petroleum oil under this act shall on the second Monday in January in each year be by the state treasurer paid to the state highway commission of this state for the repair, reconstruction and maintenance of the public highways of this state under the direction of said state highway commission. If at any time or times the amount in the oil inspection fund shall not be sufficient to pay the lawful charges under this act against said oil inspection fund, then the lawful charges shall be paid out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 11. It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly to purchase or receive from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent, or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state the standard of safety and purity of which is lower than the standard of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the purchase or receipt of the petroleum oil. It shall be unlawful for any person to purchase in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state knowing that such sale was the first sale in this state of the petroleum oil purchased, and also knowing that at the time of the purchase the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person from whom the purchase was made had no certificate of permission to sell, offer or expose for sale petroleum for oil for the first time in this state for use

in this state as required in section four (4) of this act. It shall be unlawful for any person, knowingly, to purchase for use in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil upon which the fee or charge of one fourth of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) per gallon as fixed in this act had not been secured to the state oil inspector as provided in section four (4) of this act or paid as provided in section five (5) of this act. If any person shall knowingly purchase or receive from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state the standard of safety and purity of which is lower than the standard of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the purchase or receipt of the petroleum oil; or if any person shall purchase in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state knowing that such sale was the first sale in this state of the petroleum oil purchased, and also knowing that at the time of the purchase the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person from whom the purchase was made had no certificate of permission to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state petroleum oil as required in section four (4) of this act; or if any person shall knowingly purchase or receive for use in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil upon which the fee or charge of one-fourth of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) for every gallon as fixed in this act has not been paid or secured to the state oil inspector as provided in sections four (4) and five (5) of this act, such person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction

thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each purchase or receipt of any petroleum oil lower than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the purchase or receipt, and each purchase from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person having no certificate of permission, and each purchase or receipt of the petroleum oil upon which the charge or fee has not been paid or secured, shall be and is hereby made a separate offense.

Sec. 12. It shall be the duty of the state oil inspector and his deputies to investigate throughout this state the petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state, and ascertain its standard of safety and purity. In the discharge of this duty the state oil inspector and his deputies, together with the deputies of the pure food and drug department, shall obtain for inspection and testing samples of the petroleum oil sold, offered for sale in this state for use in this state, and these samples may be obtained by personal visits to the places where the petroleum oil, is being sold offered or exposed for sale, if in the judgment of the state oil inspector such personal visits of himself and the deputies, or any of them, are desirable. It shall be the duty of the state oil inspector to cause prosecutions to be commenced and to be conducted in courts of competent jurisdiction against any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act. It is hereby made the duty of the attorney-general of this state to act with the prosecuting attorney of the judicial circuit in which the prosecution has been commenced, or is being conducted, in the prosecution of any

manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person violating any of the provisions of this act. The state oil inspector shall give to the attorney-general of this state and to the prosecuting attorney all information obtained by him or by his deputies in their investigations for the purpose of assisting the attorney-general and prosecuting attorney in all prosecutions under this act. If his presence or the presence of his deputies at the trial shall be requested by the attorney-general he and his deputies shall attend at the time and place of the trial.

Sec. 13. The state oil inspector is hereby authorized and given the right to inspect and examine the books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda of any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to whom a certificate of permission has been issued by the state oil inspector, and to examine under oath such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person for the purpose of ascertaining from such books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda, and from such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person, the number of gallons of petroleum oil sold or offered or exposed for sale in this state for consumption in this state at any time or times covered by the certificate of permission, and the brands, names and trademarks under which the petroleum oil was sold, offered or exposed for sale. The state oil inspector is hereby authorized to require by order or subpoena to be served on any such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person in the same manner that a summons is served in a civil action in the circuit court, the production within the state at such time and place as the state oil inspector may designate in the order or subpoena of any books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda kept by such manufacturer, job-

ber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person, or verified copies in lieu thereof, if the state oil inspector shall so direct, in order that an examination thereof may be made by the state oil inspector. The state oil inspector is hereby authorized and empowered with the consent of the governor, to employ an expert accountant or accountants to investigate such books and records under his direction and report to the state oil inspector the results of such examination. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall fail, refuse or neglect to produce such requested and designated books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda at the time and place fixed by the state oil inspector in his order or subpoena, or shall refuse to be examined under oath by the state oil inspector at the time and place named by the state oil inspector in the order or subpoena which he is authorized to issue, the state oil inspector shall at once upon such failure, refusal or neglect cancel and revoke the certificate of permission issued to such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person, and if any such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state, any petroleum oil in this state for use in this state after such cancellation or revocation he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each such sale or offer or exposure for sale shall be a separate offense.

Sec. 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July, 1917.

Sec. 15. An act entitled "An act regulating the inspection of oil and other

petroleum products providing penalty for its violation, repealing all former laws and laws in conflict therewith," approved March 11, 1901, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto are hereby repealed.

Sec. 16. In the event the oil inspection fund shall be insufficient in amount to pay the lawful charges under this act against said oil inspection fund, a sum sufficient to carry out the provisions of this act is hereby appropriated annually and the same shall be paid out of the state treasury upon the warrants of the auditor of state upon proper vouchers approved by the state oil inspector.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 572, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be taken from the Committee on Fees and Salaries and be transferred to the Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 217, by Senator McCray, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be transferred to the Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 125, by Senator McCray, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 310, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

That section 697 of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 697. The avoirdupois weight of beef or pork in each barrel shall be two hundred pounds; and of flour in each barrel, one hundred and ninety-six pounds; of sorghum mollasses, eleven pounds per gallon; of maple molasses, eleven pounds per gallon; of hay, straw, ice, coal or coke, two thousand pounds shall be given and taken for a ton. A bushel of the respective articles herein-after mentioned shall mean the amount of weight, avoirdupois in this section specified as follows: Of wheat, sixty pounds; of oats, thirty-two pounds; of buckwheat, fifty pounds; of popcorn, fifty-six pounds; of cornmeal, fifty pounds; of shelled corn, fifty-six pounds; of corn in the ear until December 1, seventy pounds; corn in the ear after December 1st, sixty-eight pounds; of rye, fifty-six pounds; of barley, forty-eight pounds; of malt rye, thirty-five pounds; of flax seed, fifty-six pounds;

of kaffir corn, fifty-six pounds; of rough rice, forty-five pounds; of beans, sixty pounds; of cow peas, sixty pounds; of soy soja beans, sixty pounds; of clover seed, sixty pounds; of hemp seed, forty-four pounds; of sorghum seed, fifty pounds; of blue grass seed, fourteen pounds; of orchard grass seed, fourteen pounds; of timothy seed, forty-five pounds; of millet, fifty pounds; of herds-grass seed, forty-five pounds; of rape seed, fifty pounds; of red top grass seed, fourteen pounds; of alfalfa seed, sixty pounds; of peaches, forty-eight pounds; of dried peaches, thirty-three pounds; of apples, forty-eight pounds; of dried apples, twenty-five pounds; of quinces, forty eight pounds; of pears, fifty pounds; of onions, fifty-seven pounds; of beets, sixty pounds; of carrots, fifty pounds; of parsnips, fifty-five pounds; of turnips, fifty-five pounds; of tomatoes, sixty pounds; of cucumbers, forty-eight pounds; of potatoes, sixty pounds; of sweet potatoes, fifty pounds; of cranberries, thirty-three pounds; of gooseberries, forty pounds; of hickory nuts, fifty pounds; of walnuts, fifty pounds; of bran, twenty pounds; of coal, mineral eighty pounds; of charcoal, twenty pounds; of coke, forty pounds; of coarse salt, fifty pounds; of fine salt, fifty-five pounds; of middlings fine, forty pounds; of middlings coarse, thirty pounds.

Any person, firm or corporation who buys or sells any of the articles or commodities enumerated in this section, at a measure or fraction thereof differing in the weight from the standard herein prescribed, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, on conviction, for the first offense, be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than thirty dollars; for the second offense, by a fine of not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$100.00 and for the third and subsequent offense, by a fine of \$100.00 and imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days nor more than ninety days.

Section II. All laws, parts of laws in conflict with any provision of this act are hereby repealed.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 514, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of said bill all of the same after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

That section one (1) of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. That section four hundred nineteen (419) of the above entitled act be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 419. It shall be unlawful for any person to haul over any turnpike, macadam, or gravel road at any time when the road is thawing through or by reason of wet weather is in condition to be cut up and injured by heavy hauling, a load on any vehicle with tires of less than three (3) inches in width, the combined weight of which load and vehicle, including the driver, shall be more than twenty-five hundred (2500) pounds; or on any vehicle with tires of three (3) inches and less than four (4) inches in width, the combined weight of which load, vehicle and driver, shall be more than three thousand (3,000) pounds; or on any vehicle with tires of four (4) inches and less than five (5) inches in width, the combined weight of which load, vehicle and driver, shall be more than thirty-five hundred (3,500) pounds; or any vehicle with tires five (5) inches or over in width, the com-

bined weight of which load, vehicle and driver, shall be more than thirty-eight hundred (3,800) pounds. It shall likewise be unlawful for any person to move, draw or operate any vehicle over any turnpike, macadam or gravel road, at any time when the road is thawing through or by reason of wet weather is in condition to be cut up and injured, which vehicle, had any flange, ribs, clamps, chains or other object attached to its wheels or made a part thereof which will injure or destroy the surface of such road. The term "gravel road" as used in this section shall be construed to include any road graded and graveled with not less than one (1) yard of gravel to eight (8) feet in width and nine (9) feet in length of such road. The term "vehicle" as used in this section shall be construed to include wagons, buggies, carriages, automobiles, motor trucks, engines, tractors and any other conveyance or transportation facility mounted on wheels and drawn by draught-animals or propelled by means of electricity or by steam or gasoline or any other expansive gas capable of producing motion; also each tank, car, truck, or other conveyance or contrivance, mounted on wheels or rollers, and attached to and drawn as a trailer by any animal drawn or self-propelled vehicle hereinbefore enumerated. Any person violating any provisions of this section shall, on conviction, be fined not less than five dollars (\$5) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50) for each load as hauled; provided, that any road supervisor or gravel road superintendent shall have police power to arrest upon sight any person who is seen violating or by warrant any person who has violated, any of the provisions of this section within the county or township for which such road supervisor or gravel road superintendent is elected or appointed, and that no conviction of the defendant in such cause, there shall be assessed by the court trying the same

a fee of two dollars (\$2.00) in each case, to be paid to the person making such arrest. The board of commissioners of any county shall have authority when a statement in writing is filed with them by any interested tax payer of such county setting forth that any turnpike, macadam or gravel road or any part thereof is being used continuously by any persons, firm or corporation and that such usage is of such character as to destroy the surface of such road more rapidly than ordinary travel or transportation thereon to investigate or cause an investigation of such condition to be made and if such investigation discloses that the facts as alleged are true, such commissioners shall require such person, firm or corporation to discontinue such usage of such road or part thereof or give bond with adequate surety, to be approved by the commissioners, conditioned to pay all damages which may result to such road by such usage, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred House Bill No. 447, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DAVIS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 567, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of section one (1), line sixteen (16), the word and figure

"thirty (30)" and inserting in lieu thereof of the word and figure "forty (40)."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 162, by Senator Elsner, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 94, by Senator Laney, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 167, by Senator Kolsem, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 434, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back



to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 491, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 582, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 485, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 478, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 575, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 565, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 517, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 609, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred your House Bill No. 497, has had the same under considera-

tion and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred your House Bill No. 385, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Printing, to which was referred House Bill No. 587, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DYNES,  
Acting Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Printing, to which was referred House Bill No. 573, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding at the end of section two (2) the following: "Provided that educational institutions conducting courses in vocational education that now have or may hereafter install, printing plants may do printing for their own use or such other state printing as may be in line with its vocational courses."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

DYNES,  
Acting Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dykes, to which was referred House Bill No. 601, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Telegraph and Telephones, to which was referred House Bill No. 596, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KUHLMAN.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 585, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 483, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 530, has had the same under considera-

tion and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 202, by Senator McCray, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 117, by Senator Bird, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 98, by Senator Simmons, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 24, by Senator Reser, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the

House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Telephone and Telegraphs, to which was referred House Bill No. 340, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KUHLMAN.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of new bills.

House Bill No. 611, by Mr. Wright of Clay:

A bill for an act supplementary to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities and towns to negotiate and sell bonds to procure means with which to erect and complete unfinished school buildings, and to purchase any ground and building for school purposes, and to pay debts contracted for such erection and completion, and the purchase of buildings and grounds, and authorizing the levying and collection of an additional special school tax for the payment of such bonds."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 612, by Mr. Hartke:

A bill for an act concerning the admission in evidence of court reporters' records of the testimony of witnesses, providing fees therefor and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 613, by Mr. Harris:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 20, 33, 36, 48, 52, 60, 61, 64, 72, 73, 76, 77, 81, 89, 90, 93, 105, 109, 151, 153, 172, 173 and 226 of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation,' repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 92 of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency'" approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1893; and to amend section two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53, and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895; and to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 125, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1897, and declaring an emergency; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty one (31) of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation,

repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," approved March 1, 1897; and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections three (3) and four (4) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53 and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1899; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, "An act to amend sections 83, 84, 133, 134, 135, 136 and 248 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 27, 1901; and providing a section supplementary to an act entitled "An act to amend sections four (4) and seven (7) of an act entitled "An act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891; and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, drawing-room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, co-partnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana; repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act, and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1893; and providing for the taxation of fast freight lines, lines of oil cars, refrigerator cars, cars for shipment of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and other kinds of freight; and to insert in said act an additional and supplementary section to be numbered four and a half, providing for the taxation of pipe lines, and declaring an emergency," approved

March 4, 1901, and declaring an emergency; also an act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, drawing-room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, co-partnerships, and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana, repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1893, and declaring an emergency; and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to authorize the assessment and appraisal of real estate in newly incorporated towns, and declaring an emergency," approved March 2, 1893; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning the taxation of real estate incumbered by mortgage, and declaring an emergency," which became a law without the governor's signature, March 4, 1899; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 112 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," which amended act was approved March 1, 1893, being section 6375 of Horner's Statutes of 1897; which amendatory act was approved March 4, 1899;" and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the office of county assessors, regulating the appointment of persons who may act as deputies, fixing the pay and limiting the time of service, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," passed over the governor's veto March 9, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith and approved February 25, 1903,' approved March 6, 1909," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 614, by Mr. Sambor:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred fifty-six (156) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations" approved March 6th, 1905, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 615, by Mr. Westfall.

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of bailiffs in the circuit courts in the State of Indiana, to fix their compensation and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 616, by Mr. Dilworth

A bill for an act concerning the execution of conveyances of tracts, parcels and lots of land sold for the non-payment of special tax assessments in cities.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 617, by Mr. Dilworth:

A bill for an act concerning the organization, management and discipline of the Indiana National guard.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 618, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act in regard to prosecuting attorneys.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 619, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act to amend section four

hundred two (402) and four hundred three (403) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

House Bill No. 620, by Mr. Duffey: (by request):

A bill for an act accepting the tender, by the city of Indianapolis to the State of Indiana, of an interest in land for use as a governor's residence, fixing a name, and authorizing the transfer and conveyance thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 621, by Mr. Sipe.

A bill for an act to legalize and validate the organization acts and proceedings of domestic live stock insurance companies in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

House Bill No. 622, by Mr. Sipe:

A bill for an act concerning the furnishing of financial statements to the purchasers of bonds, notes or other written obligations issued and sold by, or in the name of, any county, civil or school township, city or town for any corporate purpose or on behalf of any taxing district, under the provisions of any laws of this state and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 623, by Mr. Woods, (by request):

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning the recording and registration of chattel mortgages, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 624, by Mr. Woods, (by request):

A bill for an act authorizing the procurement and expenditure of public funds for the purposes and administration of the offices of the prosecuting attorneys of this state; prescribing the manner thereof; investing investigators of such prosecuting attorneys with powers of constables and peace officers and with authority to serve process; providing for disposition of persons arrested by such investigators; and providing for issuance and execution of search warrant on motion of prosecuting attorney for books, papers, articles and things, declaring an emergency and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 625, by Mr. Dynes, (by request):

A bill for an act to authorize cities of the first class to levy a tax to construct or complete any necessary work for flood prevention.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 626, by Mr. Dynes:

A bill for an act providing for the registration of persons afflicted with gonorrhea and acquired syphilis, prohibiting the issuance of marriage licenses, to such persons, prohibiting advertising, soliciting and exhibitions concerned with venereal diseases, providing a penalty for transmission of venereal diseases, and granting certain powers and duties to the state board of health.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.

House Bill No. 627, by Mr. Montgomery.

A bill for an act concerning descriptions of materials to be used in public improvement.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 628, by Mr. Montgomery:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to enable and empower the boards of county commissioners in counties of this state, having a population, according to the last preceding United States Census, of 150,000 or more, to sell and dispose of the real estate set apart and dedicated by the State of Indiana to such counties as a seat of justice, or for court house purposes, providing for the method of disposing of said property by sale and the power to convey the same to purchaser or purchasers by good and sufficient deeds thereto and providing further for the keeping intact of said purchase money for the purpose of purchasing another site or sites and buildings thereon, providing for a special election, and establishing thereon a seat of justice or county court house, or to erect suitable buildings upon a portion of the present site or sites and dispose by sale of the remainder, and the conveyance thereof, by said board of county commissioners, and from the funds so derived from said sale or sales in erecting a building or buildings upon the remaining portion of the site, not disposed of by sale, as aforesaid, and providing also for the payment and redemption from the funds derived from said sale, of any outstanding bonds heretofore issued for the construction of any court house building or buildings thereon, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict there-

with, and declaring an emergency." approved March 12, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 629, by Mr. Gentry:

A bill for an act appropriating to the trustees of Indiana University three hundred fifty thousand dollars for the purpose or erecting and equipping a building on the ground adjacent to the Robert W. Long Hospital, for the use of the Indiana University School of Medicine, and authorizing the transfer of the use of certain real estate to the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 630, by Mr. Bonham:

A bill for an act concerning the maintenance of ditches and drains, except dredge ditches, by the several township trustees.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.

House Bill No. 631, by Mr. McNaghy:

A bill for an act to amend section 20 of an act entitled "An act concerning annuities or benefits for teachers retired after specified years of service or for disability and other matters connected therewith and pertaining thereto."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 632, by Mr. McNaghy:

A bill for an act to determine and quiet the title to certain lands in the State of Indiana, and providing for the procedure therein.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 633, by Mr. Harmon:

A bill for an act concerning the cleaning and clearing of drifts and obstructions from the channels and banks of non-navigable streams exceeding seventy-five (75) feet in width.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rivers and Waters.

House Bill No. 634, by Mr. Blackmore:

A bill for an act to extend the duties of the inspector of mines, providing for the installation of safety lamps in mines, providing for an appeal to the industrial board, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Mines and Mining.

House Bill No. 635, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act concerning the construction and maintenance of hospitals by cities of the fifth class acting jointly with the churches and lodges and other such organizations in such city.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 636, by Mr. Downey:

A bill for an act creating attorney's lien in certain cases and providing for the enforcement of same.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 637, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act for the appointment of a commission to study out-door re-

lief and child-welfare work in Indiana and providing an appropriation.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 638, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to provide a public record for the keeping of an account of the indebtedness of each of the municipal corporations and school corporations of this state, and constituting the same notice of the amount thereof to all purchasers or holders of bonds or other obligations issued by any of such corporations.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 639, by Mr. Swain:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act concerning the annuities or benefits for teachers retired after specified years of service, or for disability, and other matters in connection therewith and pertaining thereto, passed at the 69th regular session of the General Assembly of Indiana, being House Bill No. 345, and chapter 182, of the Acts of 1915, page 658 and which became a law without the signature of, the Governor on April 26th, 1915, upon the proclamation of the governor and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 640, by Mr. Swain:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section forty-two (42) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905, approved March 5, 1909."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.



Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 354, being:

A bill for an act concerning the per diem of certain county, township, city and town officials.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 382, being:

A bill for an act concerning the department of public parks in cities of the first class, defining its powers and duties, conferring certain powers upon the common council and mayor of such cities in relation to said park department, authorizing the creation of public park districts including such cities and other municipalities and outlying territory, legalizing appointments of boards of park commissioners in such cities, and acts done by such boards, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

Where as House Bill No. 382 is composed of some 50 typewritten pages, and

Whereas it relates solely to the affairs of the city of Indianapolis, and

Whereas, it would cost the state \$200.00 to have the same printed and

Whereas it is desired to amend the same on second reading,

Therefore, I move that said bill be handed down for second reading without its being printed.

SIFE.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Sipe offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 382, as amended, be amended as follows:

First. By striking out of the first line of section 36, after the word "Sections" the number "17."

Second. By inserting at the end of said section 36, the following:

That section seventeen (17) of an act entitled "An act concerning the 'department of public parks,' in cities of the first and second classes, defining its powers and duties, conferring certain powers upon the common council and mayor of such cities in relation to said park department, legalizing appointments of boards of park commissioners in such cities, and acts done by such boards, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1911, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 17. Upon the coming in of such list such board shall proceed to consider, determine and award first, the amount of damages sustained by the owners of the several parcels of land required to be taken and appropriated, if any, as is provided for in the above sections of this act, or which will be injuriously affected thereby; second, to consider, determine and assess the amount of benefits accruing to the several tracts or parcels of property benefited by reason of the location, establishment and construction of any such park, parkway, pleasure driveway, boulevard or other work or improvement provided for in the above sections of this act. No assessments of benefits shall be made in excess of fifteen per cent, of the value of the land so assessed exclusive of the improvement upon the land so assessed; and the total of such assessments against any part or parcel of land assessed, during a period of ten years from and after taking effect of this act, shall not exceed twenty-five per cent. of the value of the land so assessed, and the total amount of such assessments of benefits during any one year shall not exceed two hundred thousand (\$200,000.00) dollars. The

damages awarded and the benefits assessed shall be severally shown as against each parcel of land shown on said list; provided, that until an election is held, as provided in section one (1) of this act, and the result thereof ascertained, no such assessment under authority of sections thirteen (13), fourteen (14) and sixteen (16) of said act, approved March 6, 1911, shall be levied, as herein provided. And provided further, that in the event such park district be created and established, no further assessments or taxes shall be levied under said act, approved March 6, 1911, by any such city of the first class lying in such park district.

Provided, that the board of park commissioners of any such city shall in any event direct the payment of the cost of any park, parkway, pleasure driveway, boulevard or construction of any improvement provided for in the above sections of this act, over and above the total amount of all assessments of benefits, or to the extent of the benefits to the city as a whole, as determined by said board to be made out of the general park fund of any such city available for such purpose; provided further, that in the event the total cost of any such park improvement, including cost of lands, construction, shaping of soil, planting of trees and shrubbery and other work and improvements called for in such resolution, and including costs of making assessments and collections, should exceed the total of benefits to such lands assessed plus the amount available from the general park fund or other sources for any such park improvement, then said board shall proceed no further under said resolution, but shall rescind all action therefrom taken. In case said board shall have ordered the cost of the construction of pavements, curbing and gutters, separately, under the provisions of section twelve (12) hereof, to be paid by abutting property owners,

as in said section provided, and it shall appear that the entire cost of the same cannot be met by assessments against abutting property owners, not including such city, then such board shall have power to assess the remainder of the cost of such payment, curbing and sidewalks against the lands of the district or districts wherein such proposed improvement is situate to the extent and in the proportion that the same shall be benefited in the same manner as provided for assessing the cost of other structures and improvements named in section thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) of this act; provided, that the resolution of such board shall in each instance state the method of proposed assessment to be adopted.

When said list shall have been thus completed said board shall cause to be published in some daily newspaper of general circulation in said city, once each week for two consecutive weeks, a notice describing the location of the lands appropriated, if any, or of the lands on which such improvement is to be made, and the general character of the improvement and the boundaries of the area or district to be assessed; said notice shall also state that the assessment roll, with the names of the owners in favor of whom damages have been awarded and against whom assessments have been made, and descriptions of property affected, with the amounts of preliminary assessments or awards as to each piece or parcel of property affected, is on file and can be seen in the office of said board. Said notice shall also name a day not earlier than ten (10) days after the date of the last publication on which said board shall receive and hear remonstrances from persons with regard to the amount of their respective awards or assessments. Furthermore, said board shall cause a written notice to be served upon the owner of each piece or parcel taken or injuriously affected, showing separate-

ly each item of such determination as to lands or parts of lands so owned by him, by leaving a copy at his last and usual place of residence in such city, or by delivering a copy to such owner personally; and said board shall also cause to be mailed by United States mail a notice to the place of residence, if known, of persons owning lands or parts of lands against which special assessments have been made, showing each item of such determination as to such persons. In case any person affected be a non-resident or his residence shall be unknown then he shall be notified by publication in some daily newspaper of general circulation once each week for three consecutive weeks. Said notice shall name a day not earlier than ten days after service of such notice, or after the last date of publication, or after the date of mailing as above provided, on which said board shall receive and hear remonstrances from persons with regard to the amount of their respective awards or assessments. Persons not included in such lists of assessments or awards and claiming to be entitled to the same shall be deemed to have been notified of the pendency of the proceeding by the original notice of the resolution of the board and by the first publication as in this section provided.

SPE.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill, with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 437, being:

A bill for an act prescribing the amount of time county assessors shall be employed in the several counties of the state and fixing the compensation for services rendered.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 467, being:

A bill for an act concerning the manufacturing, handling, safeguarding, sale and distribution of dairy products.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 541, being:

A bill for an act providing for the construction, operation and maintenance of sewers by adjoining municipalities.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 547, being:

A bill for an act entitled "An act authorizing guardian of the estate of any ward whatsoever, except minors, to mortgage ward's real estate, and providing that husband, or wife, of ward may join in the execution of mortgage."

The bill was read a second time.

The following amendment was offered by Mr. Sipe:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 547, be amended as follows: That after the word "the" and before the word "mortgage" in line seven (7), section four (4), insert the words "bond or the application of the proceeds of such mortgage shall effect the validity of the."

SPE.

The amendment was adopted and the bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 554, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the powers of the board of health and city council relating to the public health in cities of the first class being supplementary to an act con-

cerning municipal corporations approved March 6, 1905, repealing all laws in conflict herewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 15, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 561, being:

A bill for an act authorizing the board of park commissioners of cities having a population of not less than forty-five thousand (45,000) nor more than fifty-eight thousand (58,000) to construct, equip and maintain comfort stations, natatoriums, swimming pools, and authorizing the common councils of such cities to make appropriations from the general fund to the use of the board of park commissioners.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 563, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," Approved March 6, 1891.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 461, being:

A bill for an act concerning fees for city attorneys for prosecuting violations of city ordinances.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 299, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections twelve (12) and twenty one (21) of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana entitled "An act concerning the department of public parks in cities having a population of not less than sixty thousand (60,000) nor more than

sixty-eight thousand (68,000) according to the last preceding United States census, defining its powers and duties, conferring certain powers upon the common council and mayor of such cities in relation to said park departments, legalizing appointments of boards of park commissioners in such cities and acts done by such boards, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency," approved February 27, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 449, being:

A bill for an act granting and conferring additional powers upon the common council of cities of the second class as defined by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations" approved March 6, 1905, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, having a population of not less than sixty thousand nor more than sixty-eight thousand according to the last preceding United States census.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 116, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an act entitled, an act concerning highways; approved March 8, 1905; approved March 2, 1907; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled, an act to amend sections seventy (70) and seventy-five (75) of an act entitled, an act concerning highways; approved February 25, 1907; and section seventy-two (72) of an act entitled, an act concerning highways; approved March 6, 1905; approved March 8, 1909; and to amend section seventy-six (76) of an act en-

titled, an act concerning emergency approved March 8, 1905; and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 410, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McNagny moved to make said bill a special order for 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 6, 28, 44, 69, 80, 108, 125, 133, 192, 207 and 240.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 298, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Myers moved that said bill be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, for further consideration.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. McNagny moved to make said bill a special order for 4:00 o'clock Monday, February 19, 1917.

Which motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 481, being:

A bill for an act providing for the establishing of the office of attorney-general, providing for his appointment and fixing his powers and duties.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Miller of Howard, offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that printed House Bill No. 481, be recommitted to your Committee on Judiciary A for further consideration.

MILLER of Howard.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary A.

House Joint Resolution No. 5, being a resolution declining the gift of certain lands was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 23, by Senator Negley, being:

A bill for an act to encourage and regulate the marketing and distribution of food and food products by making it unlawful for municipalities of the first and second class, and the officers thereof, to exact or enforce license charges from original producers for the sale or distribution of such food or food products from house to house and upon the public highways of incorporate cities of the first and second class; defining certain violations thereof as misdemeanors and fixing penalties of such violation; providing penalties for the violation thereof by municipal officers and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 23, by adding to section five (5) of said bill the following, to-wit:

"And nothing in this act shall be construed to apply to any food or food products except such as are originally produced, or the materials of which are originally produced, within the State of Indiana, and handled direct from the source of production to the consumer."

ANDERSON.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted and with the bill was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 30, by Senator English, being:

A bill for an act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act concerning grand and petit juries," approved April 15, 1881.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 49, by Senator Negley, being:

A bill for an act to fix the venue in actions for damages growing out of collisions between vehicles, and collisions between vehicles and persons, animals and other objects of property, upon and adjacent to the public highways of the State of Indiana.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 408, being:

A bill for an act creating a state library commission, providing for the conduct of the state library and for the promotion of public library work and the development of traveling libraries.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Durham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 408, as printed, by striking out the words "with the approval of the governor" and the comma following the word "governor" line four (4), section two (2); and, by striking out the words "with the consent and approval of the Governor" and the comma following the words "governor" in line seven (7), section three (3) of said House Bill No. 408.

DURHAM.

Mr. Miltenberger moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 351, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 463, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 77.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 352, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bon-

ham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 75.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 320, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett,

Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 501, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dyne, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Pualski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore,

Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Johnson of Grant, Mr. Speaker. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 226, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 80.



Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 364, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 265, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph and Yoder. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Buller and McClaskey.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 284, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Duffey, Eisterhold, Hartke, Henke, Mr. Speaker. Total, 6.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 489, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Hoffman, Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 466, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cravens moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Durham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the enacting clause be stricken out of House Bill No. 466.

DURHAM.

Mr. Mendenhall moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 59.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bonham, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Grube, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, Osborn, Robertson, Turner, Walker, Westfall. Total, 22.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the vote on House Bill No. 466, be reconsidered and that that motion be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House adjourn to meet at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, February 19, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON.

February 19, 1917.

The House met at 1:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. A. E. Renn, Pastor of the First English Lutheran Church, of Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tip-

pecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, -Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 93.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Cravens, Hougham, Sambor, Tucker. Total, 7.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Saturday, February 17th to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred House Bill No. 453, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: That section two (2) be stricken out, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MYERS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 590, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "taken" in line sixteen (16), section one (1) the following words "within thirty (30) days

from the date of final decision by the State Board of Health, so ordering such changing or condemnation or building of such school building," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Amend section one (1) by adding at the end the following: "The entire expenditures of the state highway commission shall not exceed annually the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for office expenses and for expenditures for supervision but in this sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) there shall not be included any item or items for supervision provided for in section seven (7) of this act."

Amend section four (4) line one (1) by striking out the word "department" and by adding after the word "highway" and before the word "shall" the following words "commission and its office force."

Amend section six (6) line sixty-six (66) by striking out the following words: "and pay the expense therefor" and by changing the comma after the word "repair" in line sixty-five (65) to a period; in line seventy-one (71) by changing the period after the word "highways" to a comma and then add after the word "highways" the following words "and for the use of said testing laboratory nothing shall be paid by the state highway commission or by the state engineer."

Amend section seven (7), line twenty-six (26) by striking out the word "department" and inserting in lieu thereof

the word "commission;" in line thirty-nine (39) by striking out the word "department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "commission."

Amend section eight (8) line eighteen (18) by inserting after the word "and" and before the word "any" the following words: "if the same be approved and accepted by the state highway engineer" which words whenever inserted shall be preceded and followed by commas.

Amend section ten (10) line twenty-two (22) after the word "construction" and before the word "in" by adding the following words as a separate sentence: "The state highway engineer shall receive bids for two (2) or more kinds of material and forms of construction for the road," and by striking out from section ten (10) the last paragraph included in the lines twenty-nine (29) to thirty-nine (39).

Amend section eleven (11) by striking out all of section eleven (11) and by inserting in lieu of the stricken out section the following section to be numbered eleven (11).

"The state highway engineer shall advertise for bids in such manner as may be approved by general rules of the commission. All bids submitted shall be received at the auditor's office of the county in which said improvement is proposed to be constructed and shall be publicly opened and read at the time stated in the advertisement by the state highway engineer or some one designated by him. The board of commissioners of the county or counties in which the improvement is to be made and for which bids are submitted shall be notified by the state highway engineer of the time set for the opening of the bids, and they, or a representative of their board, may be present at the opening of the bids. The state highway engineer shall have the right to reject any and all bids if in his opinion the bids are too high or any good cause

exists therefor, but otherwise the contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. In the event that satisfactory bids are not received, the state highway engineer shall have the power to advertise for new bids on the same or amended plans and specifications. The successful bidder shall be required to furnish bond to the State of Indiana, with sureties, in a sum to be fixed by the commission, conditioned that such work shall be performed in accordance with the plans and specifications and the terms of the contract. The commission may require that the bond shall be conditioned that the road bed will be kept in ordinary repair by the contractor for a period of five (5) years. No party bidding for the work shall be accepted as surety on the required bond. When the contract is executed by the state highway engineer and the successful bidder, a copy of the same, including the plans, specifications and estimates of cost, shall be forthwith filed in the office of the state highway commission, with a like copy furnished to the board of county commissioners for filing in their office, and a copy shall be furnished to the successful bidder, and the contractor shall furnish and keep a copy of the specifications in the hands of each engineer and foreman in charge of the work, or any part thereof. In all cases where the cost is less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) it shall be discretionary with the state highway engineer whether bids shall be called for or whether the work shall be done by the state highway engineer. The provisions relating to advertising for bids shall apply to the letting of contracts for extra work resulting from unforeseen contingencies not included in the original contract."

Amend section fifteen (15), line seventeen (17) by inserting after the word "treasurer" the following: "upon the warrant of the county auditor drawn in accordance with;" and by striking out

in lines seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) the words "by the county treasurer on."

Amend section twenty (20), line one (1) by striking out the word "department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "commission;" in line ten (10) by striking out the word "department" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "commission" and by adding in line nineteen (19) after the word "act" and before the word "shall" the following words: "with the exception of main market highways constructed within the limits of cities or towns as provided in section fourteen (14) of this act, and with the further exception of such highways the maintenance of which has been provided for by the bond of the contractor constructing the same as provided in section eleven (11) of this act," which words shall be preceded and followed by a comma.

Amend section twenty-two (22) by striking out the word "may" in line five (5) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "shall."

Amend section twenty-seven (27) by striking out the subdivision (a); by striking out the subdivision (c); by renumbering or relettering the subdivisions of section twenty-seven (27) as follows: Change (b) to (a), change (d) to (b), change (e) to (c) and change (f) to (d) and by adding a new subdivision to be known as (e). (e) Any and all money provided by any law of this state for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways under this act.

Amend section twenty-nine (29) line two (2) by striking out the word "hereby" and inserting after the word "created" and before the word "after" in line two (2) the following words: "by this act."

Amend section thirty-one (31) by adding to section thirty-one (31) the following words as a new paragraph:

"This act shall be commonly known

and referred to as the Dobyns-Duffey Highway Commission Law."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 420, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 640, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to which was referred Engrossed House Bills Nos. 402, 440, 64 and 563, begs leave to report that it has compared the Engrossed Bills with the original House bills and finds said bills correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT.  
Chairman.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed House Bills to which was referred House Bills Nos. 253, 226, 410, 350, 227, 364, 302, 418, 465, 320, 284, 183, 366, 353, 472, 298, 331, 223, 266, 265, 352, 271, 407, 501, 313, 489, and Engrossed House Bills 463 and 466, begs leave to report that

it has compared said engrossed bills and said bills with the original bills and finds said bills correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT,  
Chairman.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills to which was referred Enrolled House Bills Nos. 6, 15, 28, 44, 69, 80, 108, 125, 133, 192, 207 and 240 begs leave to report that it has compared each enrolled bill with the original House Engrossed Bill and finds each of said bills correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON,  
Chairman.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 641, by Mr. Cravens:

A bill for an act concerning the service of process in suits to quiet the title to real estate, providing for the recording of decrees in such matters, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 642, by Mr. Habermel;

A bill for an act fixing the time for holding court in the third judicial circuit for the State of Indiana, prescribing the length of terms thereof, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 643, by Mr. Kimmel:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 367 of an act entitled 'An act concerning proceedings in civil cases,' approved April 7, 1881," approved March 8, 1883, and legalizing certain divorces heretofore granted.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 644, by Mr. Bartel (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for a general system of common schools, the officers thereof, and their respective powers and duties, and matters properly connected therewith, and prescribing the fees for certain officers therein named, and for the establishment and regulation of township libraries, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, providing penalties therein prescribed," approved March 6, 1865, and adding supplemental section thereto; approved March 8, 1873, the same being section 4520 of the Revised Statutes of 1881, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 2, 1889," approved March 9, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 645, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act concerning the publication of official notices and reports in newspapers.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 646, by Mr. Harris:

A bill for an act to legalize certain acts, orders and proceedings of boards of county commissioners relating to the establishment and construction of highways pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled, "An act concerning highways" approved March 8, 1905, and all acts amendatory thereof, and to legalize any and all bonds authorized to be issued thereunder, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

House Bill No. 647, by Mr. Harris.

A bill for an act concerning the abandonment of township high schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 90, being:

A bill for an act fixing the time that the term of office of the clerk of the circuit court shall begin.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 105, being:

A bill for an act to abolish the department of statistics, otherwise known as the bureau of statistics, and the office of chief of the Indiana bureau of statistics, and to transfer their powers and duties.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Moore offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 105, be amended by adding a new section to be numbered section four (4) to read as follows:

Section 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the expiration of the term of the present incumbent on January 1st, 1921.

MOORE.

Mr. McGonagle moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment was placed on the table.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 184, being:

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the payment of part of the expenses of the annual encampment of the Indiana Department of the Grand Army of the Republic, and for the payment of part of the expenses of maintaining such department.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 244, being:

A bill for an act authorizing the abandonment of a school in a school district or corporation having an indebtedness and the purchase of the property of such an abandoned school by the school trustee of the school township in which such school district or corporation is located.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 510, being:

A bill for an act concerning legal holidays for public schools.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 551, being:

A bill for an act concerning weights on carload shipments of coal between points within the State of Indiana, and providing for the weighing of such shipments.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 562, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act providing for the registration of voters, and matters connected therewith and providing for penalties for the violation of certain provisions thereof, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict there-



with, and especially repealing an act entitled 'An act providing for the registration of voters and matters connected therewith,' approved March 4, 1911, and declaring an emergency, approved March 11, 1913," approved March 9, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 568, being:

A bill for an act for the use of deeds for congressional school lands executed by the auditor of the county wherein said lands are situated, and of certified copies thereof as evidence, and providing that such deeds shall be legalized and declared valid in law.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 577, being:

A bill for an act to authorize and direct the auditor of state of the State of Indiana, to release mortgages in certain cases and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 586, being:

A bill for an act concerning unincorporated cemeteries, their management and maintenance.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 591, being:

A bill for an act concerning the per diem and expense of members of the state board of health, and providing for the legalizing of payments heretofore made and granting relief for per diem repair by certain members.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 608, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act to create a state normal school, and declaring an emergency," approved December 20, 1865.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 589, being:

A bill for an act concerning banking reserves.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 150, by Senator Thornton, being:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to regulate bridge tolls."

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 272, by Senator Reser, being:

A bill for an act authorizing counties to appropriate money for state parks.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 15, by Senator Hagerty, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 107, 108, 109, 111, 112 and 265" of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations" approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 110, 115 and 116" of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations, approved March 6, 1905," approved March 12, 1907, and declaring an emergency, approved March 8, 1909.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harris offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 15, by adding after the word "intersections" in line seventy-five(75), section one (1) of the printed bill, the words "Provided, That in the event that said total cost shall exceed said fifty per cent (50%) then said contract may be let for said improvement if within ten (10) days after bids are received and opened, eighty per cent (80%) of all the owners of real estate subject to assessment for such improvement shall file before said board their written consent thereto."

**HARRIS.**

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 257, being:

A bill for an act concerning voluntary associations.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harris offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move that House Bill No. 257, be amended as follows: By striking out the word "or" after the comma after the word "county" in line thirteen (13), section two (2) thereof; and by inserting the words "or the United States of America" after the comma after the word "Indiana" in line 14 of section two (2) thereof; of the printed bill.

**HARRIS.**

Mr. Cravens moved that House Bill No. 257, with the amendment, and House Bill No. 258 be referred to a Special Committee of three to be appointed by the Speaker, and that they report back to the House not later than Wednesday morning of this week their report.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed Messrs. Harris, Houghton and Cravens the Special Committee of Three to consider said bills.

Message from the Senate.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Governor has approved Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 65 and 132 and the same have been deposited with the Secretary of State and has returned Senate Enrolled Bill No. 20 without executive approval.

**GUY R. YORK,**  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 79, 121, 186, 213, 257, 271, 273 and 288 and has also adopted Engrossed Joint Senate Resolution No. 14 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

**GUY R. YORK,**  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 273, by Senator Thornton:

A bill for an act to provide for pensions for women having dependent children in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 271, by Senator McKinley:

A bill for an act concerning preliminary notice of intention to file complaint for divorce and repealing section thirteen (13) of an act entitled "An act

regulating the granting of divorces, nullification of marriages, and decrees and orders of courts incident thereto, and repealing all laws conflicting with this act, and declaring an emergency," approved March 10, 1873.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 213, by Senator Humphreys:

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning the examination of public accounts and reports thereon, the collection and recovery of public funds, prescribing the duties of public officers in relation thereto, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and expressly repealing sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the collection and recovery of public funds of the State of Indiana, and of counties, townships, cities and towns therein, and other matters properly connected therewith,' approved March 3, 1911," and expressly repealing an act entitled "An act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the collection and recovery of public funds of the State of Indiana, and of counties, townships, cities and towns therein and other matters properly connected therewith,' approved March 3, 1911, and declaring an emergency," approved March 14, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 257, by Senator Kolsem:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning boards of school trustees in cities having a population of more than fifty-five thousand inhabitants and less than sixty-three thousand inhabitants, ac-

cording to the last preceding United States census, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 186, by Senator Metzger:

A bill for an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission; approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 121, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend section three hundred forty-six (346) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 79, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act in regard to the reporting of investigations made and direct aid granted by township trustees and by persons, corporations, organizations and associations, who publicly solicit and distribute funds and other forms of aid for the relief, maintenance and support of children and of indigent and sick dependent persons.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 288, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act concerning licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquor.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 14, by Senator Beardsley:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article two (2) of the constitution of the State of Indiana, adding thereto a further section to be numbered section fifteen (15), which section provides how females, who are citizens of the United States shall qualify as electors.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 64, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 59.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the House of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 563, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bartel, Blackmore, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McClaskey, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick and Mr. Speaker. Total, 49.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Curry, Dilworth, Duffey, Eikenberry, Harker, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mc-

Nagny, MendeHall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Myers, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Walker, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay and Yoder. Total, 41.

The Speaker declared the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 315, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dilworth made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 315, be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by striking out the words "a majority" where they occur in line two (2) of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures, "twenty per cent (20%) of the lands in acreage."

Also by inserting after the word "lands" at the end of line two (2) of section one (1) the words "in acreage;"

Also by inserting after the colon following the first word "provided" at the beginning of line eleven (11) of section one (1) the following words and punctuation: "Provided, That if within twenty (20) days, exclusive of Sundays, from the day on which such petition shall have been filed, the owners of a majority of the lands in acreage affected by such petition, shall remonstrate in writing against the proposed method of cleaning and repair of such ditch, such petition shall be dismissed at the cost of the petitioners and the work of cleaning and repairs shall be carried on as provided by the general law relating thereto.

DILWORTH.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Green offered the following committee report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 315, with specific instructions to amend, hereby reports that said bill has been amended as instructed.

GREEN.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Dilworth offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 315, be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions, to amend the same by striking out section thirteen (13) thereof.

DILWORTH.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Green offered the following committee report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 315, with specific instruction to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as per specific instructions.

GREEN.

Which report was adopted and amendment ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland,

Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Durham, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Waltz, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was do ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 410, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Bartel, Burt, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Jacoby, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Southard, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Total, 46.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Eikenberry, Geddes, Harris, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mushett, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker, Total, 40.

The Speaker declared the bill had failed to pass for want of constitutional majority.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 211, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Krieg offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Printed House Bill No. 211, be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend said bill by adding thereto another section the same to be numbered four and one half (4½) and following section four of said bill and to read as follows:

Section 4½. The provisions of this act shall not apply to any account or judgment which has been assigned or in any manner transferred by the original holder or owner.

KRIEG.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Moore made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to whom was referred House Bill No. 211, with specific instruction to amend, hereby

reports that said bill has been amended as directed.

MOORE.

Which report was concurred in.

Mr. Woods offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 211, be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by inserting a new section after section four (4), to be numbered section five (5) and to read as follows:

Section 5. The provisions of this act shall not apply to any contract for necessities furnished unless the title to said necessities passes at the time of the purchase.

Also that section five (5) be renumbered so that it will be section six (6).

WOODS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Moore made the following report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 211, with specific instruction to amend, hereby reports that said bill has been amended as directed.

MOORE.

House concurred in the report.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bartel, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Geddes, Habermel, Harker, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mil-

tenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Side, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 55.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Axby, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Griffin, Harmon, Haslanger, Heppler, Houghton, Kessler, Miller of Howard, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Robertson, Turner, Waltz, Westfall, Wright of Clay. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 298, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Myers offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to refer House Bill No. 298 to its author with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By striking out in section five (5) all of lines 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26.

MYERS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cravens made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee, to whom was referred House Bill No. 298, with specific

instruction to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as follows: By striking out in section five (5) all of lines 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26.

Cravens.

Which amendment was adopted and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Myers made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 298 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, to be amended as follows:

By inserting in line sixteen (16), section five (5), after the word "insurance" the words "excepting farm mutuals or farmers associations for fire insurance."

Myers.

On motion of Mr. Cravens the former motion of Mr. Myers was laid on the table.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hesson, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wines-

burg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 67, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Vesey offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that action on Engrossed Printed House Bill No. 67, be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

Add the following words after the word "electors" in line eight (8), section one (1) "delegates to a constitutional convention."

Also strike out the whole of section three (3).

Vesey.

Mr. Turner moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion to lay the motion on the table was lost.

Mr. Cravens moved to make the bill a special order for 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mr. Scott moved to lay the motion on the table.



Messrs. Cravens and McNagny demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Read, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 62.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Burtt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Day, Douglas, Durham, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Jacoby, Krieg, Kuhlman, McNagny, Moore, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Total, 30.

The motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. McGonagle moves the previous question which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the amendment offered by Mr. Vesey be adopted?

Messrs. Houghton and Miller of Howard demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harmon, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Read, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 66.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Houghton, Kuhlman, Miller of Howard, Moore, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Sipe, Turner, Waltz. Total, 25.

Which motion fails for want of constitutional majority.

Mr. Vesey offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that action on Engrossed House Bill No. 67 be made an order of special business Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

VESSEY.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Cravens moved that Committee be instructed to report Engrossed Senate Bill No. 77 at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Miller of Howard, moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning, February 20, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY MORNING.

February 20, 1917.

The House met at 10:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Charles M. Kroft, Pastor Merritt Place Methodist Episcopal Church, Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, West-

rick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 96.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Henke, Hougham, Sambor, Tucker. Total 4.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, February 19th, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Mendenhall the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports:

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McNAGNY,  
WOOD,  
DOWNEY,  
BONHAM,  
SIPE,  
HARKER,  
HARTKE,  
DAVIS,  
YODER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER,  
KIMMEL,  
HOUGHTON,  
JINNETT.

The question being, Shall the minority

report of the Committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was not carried and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The question being on the adoption of the majority report.

The report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 643, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 436, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of section one (1), following the word "examination" in line fourteen (14) and by striking out all of section two (2), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 495, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 439, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 438, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 134, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 576, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 550, has had the same under considera-

tion and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 556, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 645, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 25, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 199, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 135, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 631, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 500, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 644, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 639, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 208, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 599, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 529, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of section four (4), and writing in lieu thereof the follow-

ing: "This act to become effective on and after January 10th, 1918," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 217, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 628, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 627, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 572, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the

House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 611, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 616, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 638, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 272, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 511, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 132, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 3, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 494, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in section one (1), line three (3), the following words: "Which are not county seats," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 597, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 77, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 647, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of said bill, all that part following the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "That any township wherein there is located an incorporated city or town maintaining a high school with an average daily attendance of 80 or more, said township shall abandon any high school maintained by it where the attendance shall average less than 35 per day for any year: Provided, That said such township high school is located within two miles of the high school in the incorporated city or town," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 617, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DILWORTH.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 525, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 406 be amended to read as follows:

By striking out the period following the word "situated" in line six (6) of section four (4) and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following:

"Provided, however, That if any such township shall have a bonded indebtedness unpaid and outstanding which shall have been incurred and created for the construction of public highways therein, the total combined annual levy of taxes on the taxable property of such township for the creation of the road fund provided for in this act and to pay the interest and provide for the satisfaction and retirement of such highway bonds shall in no case exceed one dollar (\$1) on each one hundred dollars (\$100) of taxable property located in such township."

Also by striking out the period following the word "petition" in line ten (10) of said section four (4) and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following "but in no case to exceed

one dollar (\$1) on each one hundred dollars (\$100) of taxable property, as hereinbefore provided," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Legislative Apportionment to which was recommended House Bill No. 289, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

That every county of this state having a population of two hundred thousand (200,000) according to the last preceding United States census, shall be divided into representative districts equal to the number of representatives to be elected from such county to the House of Representatives of the General Assembly. Such districts shall be known as nominating districts and candidates for representative in the General Assembly shall be nominated by such nominating districts but shall be elected by the vote of the entire county, and each candidate shall be a resident of the district by and for which he is nominated. The board of commissioners of any such county shall, not sooner than October 30, 1917, or later than January 1, 1918, divide their county into nominating districts, giving to each district as nearly as may be an equal number of electors. The territory included in any such nominating district shall be contiguous. For the purpose of determining the number of electors, the board shall cause an enumeration of electors in their counties to be made or they may use the enumeration made by the township trustee if the same shall be adequate to determine the number of electors for each district.

If the board of county commissioner of any such county shall fail or refuse to divide such county (on or before June 1, 1917), into nominating districts, the representatives from such county shall be nominated by the county at large. Any county divided into nominating districts under the provisions of this act, shall not be changed during the time this act shall be in force. The board of county commissioners is authorized to incur any expenditures in connection with the taking of the enumeration of electors which shall be paid without an appropriation by the county council.

Section 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

CLAPP.

House concurred in the report.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to reconsider the vote on amendment made by the gentleman from Allen county, to House Bill No. 67, yesterday afternoon.

CRAVENS.

Bills on first reading.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 118, by Senator Hagerty:

A bill for an act relative to settlement of certain claims growing out of deaths caused by wrongful acts or omission.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 230, by Senator Hagerty:



A bill for an act concerning the practice of laws by justices of the peace.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 136, by Senator Fleming:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the cutting down and destroying of briars, thistles, burrs, docks, willows, sumac, and other noxious weeds by owners of land along public highways."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 192 by Senator Simmons:

A bill for an act fixing the salary of health officers in all cities and counties and repealing all laws in conflict and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 194, by Senator Smith:

A bill for an act fixing the time of holding circuit court in the forty-fourth (44th) judicial circuit, composed of the counties of Pulaski and Starke.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 221, by Senator Reser:

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of bailiffs in any criminal circuit or superior court in the State of Indiana; to fix their compensation,

and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 210, by Senator Thornton (by request):

A bill for an act providing for the establishment and maintenance of the Indiana Housemaid's practical training school at New Albany, Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 227, by Senator Spaan:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the security and payment of laboring men and mechanics', approved March 29, 1879 (being section 5206 of the Revised Statutes of 1881)," approved March 17, 1885.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, by Senator Porter:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article fifteen (15) of the constitution of the State of Indiana, adding thereto a further section to be numbered section eleven (11), which section provides for prohibiting of the manufacture, sale, barter or exchange of vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors or beverages.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 336 by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled

"An act to amend sections two (2), three (3) and four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a state board of embalmers; to provide a system of examination, registration and licensing the embalmers to provide for the better protection of life and health; to prevent the spread of infectious and contagious diseases in the state; to legalize licenses issued to embalmers by the state board of health previous to the enactment of this statute, and to impose penalties for the violation of its provisions and declaring an emergency," approved March 12, 1901,' approved March 4, 1905," approved March 11, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 276, by Senator Signs:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act concerning the duties and compensation of the reporter of the supreme court, and sale of the reports by the state, also defining certain duties of commissioners of public printing and binding, and the secretary and treasurer of state, approved March 9, 1891.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 265, by Senator Retherford:

A bill for an act concerning the issuance and service of summons in civil cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Joint Resolution No. 6 proposing an amendment to section one (1) of article ten (10) of the constitution concerning taxation by providing for the exemption of household goods to the value

of two hundred dollars (\$200), was ordered engrossed.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 176, being:

A bill for an act concerning the protection of trainmen who are obliged to pass through tunnels in the course of a regular run.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 255, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the discontinuance of public schools, providing for the transportation of pupils as necessitated thereby and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith,' approved March 11, 1907," approved February 27, 1909.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 434, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission in Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4th, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 447, being:

An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning baggage and excess baggage; prescribing the duties of common carriers in reference thereto and fixing their maximum charges for transporting the same; defining certain offenses and fixing the punishment therefor, and

repealing all conflicting laws," approved March 8, 1907.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Geddes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to recommit House Bill No. 447 to Committee on Railroads for further consideration.

GEDDES.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was re-committed to Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 468, being:

A bill for an act providing for the cutting down and destroying by owners of land, of all noxious weeds and growth along both sides of all fences constructed along public highways and along the owner's side of all partition fences.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 491, being:

A bill for an act concerning the duties of public utilities in the State of Indiana; granting powers to and imposing duties upon the public service commission with reference thereto; providing for investigations and hearings; fixing the burden of proof in certain cases; imposing duties upon certain persons, firms and corporations from their use of public highways; defining the jurisdiction of the public service commission with reference thereto; declaring a nuisance in certain cases and defining penalties.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Davis offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill

No. 491 be re-committed to the "Judiciary A" committee of this House.

DAVIS.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was re-committed to Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 503, being:

A bill for an act to provide for pensions for women having dependent children in certain cases.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Cook offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 503 as follows:

First: By striking out the word "six" and number "6" of section five (5) in line "15" and substituting therefor the word and number seven (7).

Second: By striking out line forty (40) of section six (6) beginning with the word "and" of said line, also by striking out all of line forty-one (41) forty-two (42) and forty-three (43) of said section.

COOK.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 503 as follows:

Beginning with the word "or" in line five, section two (2) by striking out all of said line, beginning with said word, also all of line six (6) and by striking out the word "year" of line seven in said section.

Also in line eight (8), section three (3), strike out after the word "husband" the words "or desertion by her" and in

line nine (9), section three (3) the word "husband."

DYNES.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill with amendments, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 517, being:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act providing for the building of sidewalks in incorporated towns," approved March 15, 1913, and repealing sections five (5) and six (6) thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 520, being:

A bill for an act providing for the construction of highways on inter-county routes.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 596, being:

A bill for an act concerning sanitary mouth pieces on telephones in public pay stations.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 609, being:

A bill for an act authorizing the sale of park lands and minerals, mineral rights and royalties for minerals thereunder, in cities of the fifth class in the state of Indiana, and providing for platting such park lands before such sale, and providing for the distribution of the proceeds derived from such sale.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 555, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three hundred forty-six (346) of an

act entitled "An act concerning the proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881, being known as section five hundred thirty-three (533), Burns' annotated statutes, revision of 1914, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 557, being:

A bill for an act to amend section eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act for the relief of the poor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 9, 1901.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 567, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act requiring the establishment and maintenance of township high schools, or joint high schools and elementary schools, and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 7, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 569, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), three (3) and ten (10) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the branding and labeling of mattresses and comforts, and to provide against the use of unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand material in the manufacture of mattresses and comforts and to provide against the sale of mattresses or comforts containing unsanitary, unhealthy, old or second-hand materials," approved March 14, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 573, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and eleven (11) of an act

entitled "An act to provide for the public printing, binding, stationery and supplies, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 162, by Senator Elsner:

A bill for an act to empower the board of trustees of the town of Charlestown, Clark county, State of Indiana, to transfer certain special school funds now in the treasury of said town to the general fund of said town.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 117, by Senator Bird:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred twenty (620) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 94, by Senator Laney:

A bill for an act authorizing the sale of school lands purchased for experimental purposes to be sold for the benefit of the school corporation and specifying the procedure therefor.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 202, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act making it a crime under the laws of the State of Indiana, to buy, sell, receive, dispose of, conceal or have in one's possession any automobile or motor vehicle from which the manufacturer's serial number or other distinguishing or identifying mark has

been removed, defaced, covered, altered or destroyed for the purpose of concealing such automobile or motor driven vehicle; declaring the same to be a misdemeanor providing penalties for the violation thereof and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 24, by Senator Reser:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) and section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 98 by Senator Simmons:

A bill for an act concerning the operation of motor vehicles and motor bicycles, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dilworth offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 98.

(1) By adding after the word "car" and before the comma, line four (4), section one (1), the words "at a lateral distance of less than twenty feet."

(2) By inserting after the word "stopped" line nine (9) section one (1), the words, "when the condition of the road or street will not permit him to pass at a lateral distance of at least twenty feet."

(3) By striking out all of section two (2), after the colon in line four (4), and changing said colon to a period.

(4) By striking out the first word "or" in line twelve (12) section one (1).

DILWORTH.

Which motion prevailed and the bill with amendment was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 221, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Southard, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 76.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Gorski, Henke, Hoffman, Swain. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12, by Senators Thornton, Lantz and Hirsh, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Montgomery moved to make the bill a special order for 2:00 o'clock Wednesday, February 28, 1917.

Mr. Miller moved to amend the motion by making it a special order for Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Which last amendment was lost.

Mr. Habermel moved to lay the motion of Mr. Montgomery on the table.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Habermel moved to amend the Montgomery motion to make the bill a special order for 2:00 o'clock Monday, February 26, which amendment prevailed.

The amended motion prevailed and the bill was made a special order for 2:00 o'clock Monday, February 26, 1917.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 648, by Mr. Kessler (by request):

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act to protect cities of the fifth class, having a population of from ten thousand to twelve thousand, and adjacent towns, lands, highways and other properties within four miles of such cities from floods and inundation; to authorize the organization of flood control districts within and adjoining such cities, defining their powers, providing means to finance their operation, defining certain public offenses and imposing penalties and declaring an emergency'," law without signature of governor, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rivers and Waters.

House Bill No. 649, by Mr. Hyland:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled, "An act to amend section six (6), nine (9), ten (10) and eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act concerning common schools in cities having more than one hundred thousand population, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1899, and also to amend section three (3) of an act amendatory of sections eighteen (18), twenty-three (23) and section five (5) of the act last named, said amendatory act being entitled "An act to amend sections eighteen (18) and twenty-three (23) of an act entitled 'An act concerning common schools in cities having more than one hundred thousand population, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 4, 1899, and also to amend section one of an act amendatory of section five (5) of the act last named, said amendatory act being entitled 'An act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled an act concerning common schools in cities having more than one hundred thousand population, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and declaring an emergency, approved March 4, 1899, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 12, 1901, and declaring an emergency, approved March 4, 1905, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on City of Indianapolis.

House Bill No. 650, by Mr. Alldredge:

A bill for an act concerning the establishment of state breeding grounds for food and game fishes in the natural streams of this state.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rivers and Waters.

House Bill No. 651, by Mr. Tucker:

A bill for an act concerning the collection of city taxes in certain cases and legalizing certain acts in connection therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 652, by Mr. Tucker:

A bill for an act authorizing executors and administrators to borrow money to pay expenses of the last sickness and funeral expenses of their decedent, and to execute mortgages on their decedents' real estate or personal property to secure the payment of the same.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 653 by Mr. Behmer:

A bill for an act making eligible for admission to the Indiana state soldier's home at Lafayette, disabled and destitute soldiers, sailors and marines who have received honorable discharge from military service under calls of the United States, and the wives and widows of such destitute and disabled soldiers, sailors and marines, and making eligible for admission to the Indiana soldiers and sailors orphans' home at Knightstown, the children of such destitute and disabled soldiers, sailors and marines under the laws governing these institutions.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Soldiers Home.

House Bill No. 654 by Mr. Jameson, (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the erection of county and municipal courts in certain counties, providing for the appointment and election of judges and other officers thereof, and prescribing their duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 655 by Mr. Jameson, (by request):

A bill for an act making soliciting and advertising for the purpose or business of performing marriage ceremonies a misdemeanor, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.

House Bill No. 656 by Mr. Jinnett, (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 37 of an act entitled, "An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 20, 33, 36, 48, 52, 60, 61, 64, 72, 73, 76, 77, 81, 89, 90, 93, 105, 109, 151, 153, 172, 173 and 226 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section ninety-two (92) of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1893; and to amend sections two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53, and 59 of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith,

and declaring an emergency,' approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895; and to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 129 and 132 of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 6, 1891," and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled an act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 125, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1897, and declaring an emergency; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 6, 1891," approved March 1, 1897; and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections three (3) and four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53, and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring emergency,' approved February 23, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1899; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 83, 84, 133, 134, 135, 136 and 248 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 27, 1901; and providing a



section supplementary to an act entitled "An act to amend sections four (4) and seven (7) of an act entitled "An act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891; and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephones, palace car, sleeping car, drawing room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, copartnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana; repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act, and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1893; and providing for the taxation of fast freight lines, lines of oil cars, refrigerator cars, cars for shipment of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and other kinds of freight; and to insert in said act an additional and supplementary section to be numbered four and a half, providing for the taxation of pipe lines, and declaring an emergency" approved March 4, 1901, and declaring an emergency; also an act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, drawing room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association, companies, copartnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana, repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act, and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency, approved March 6, 1893, and declaring an emergency; and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to authorize the assessment and appraisal of real estate in newly incorporated towns, and declaring an emergency," approved March 2, 1893; and to amend section

one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning the taxation of real estate encumbered by mortgage, and declaring an emergency," which became a law without the governor's signature, March 4, 1899; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 112 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," which amended act was approved March 1, 1893, being section 6375 of Horner's Statutes of 1897; which amendatory act was approved March 4, 1899," and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the office of county assessors, regulating the appointment of persons who may act as deputies, fixing the pay and limiting the time of service, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," passed over the governor's veto March 9, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith," approved February 25, 1903, providing for the appointment of inheritance tax appraisers in certain cases, the manner of such appointment and for the salary and duties thereof, and for clerk thereof and office and supplies therefor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 657 by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act to amend section two hundred forty-three (243) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

House Bill No. 658 by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act concerning the installation of culverts in public highways when necessary to drain lands adjacent thereto.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

House Bill No. 659, by Mr. Cooper:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning township business," approved February 27, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 660, by Mr. Gorski:

A bill for an act to amend section six (6) of an act entitled "An act regulating the granting of divorces, nullification of marriages, and decrees and orders of courts incident thereto, and repealing all laws conflicting with this act, and declaring an emergency," approved March 10, 1873.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House bill No. 661, by Mr. Gorski:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section one hundred and forty-seven of an act entitled 'An act to provide for a general system of common schools, the officers thereof and their respective powers and duties, and matters properly connected therewith, and prescribing the fees for certain officers therein named, and for the establishment and regulation of township libraries, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, providing penalties therein prescribed,' approved March 6, 1865," approved May 5, 1869.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 662, by Mr. Habermel:

A bill for an act to authorize the county commissioners in any county, where the county owns any real estate upon which is situated any court house, public office building, or any other building used for public purposes, which the State of Indiana, may desire to buy under the authority of any law enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, to sell said real estate to the State of Indiana, providing that said sale to the State of Indiana may be made by the board of commissioners of such county upon an order by a majority of the members of said board of commissioners, at any regular or special session of said board, without any appraisement of said real estate or any notice of said sale, or without the consent of the county council of said county, and with special terms and provisions in the contract of sale, providing for a deed of conveyance for said real estate, providing that whenever any real estate owned by any county, upon which there is standing a building used for a court house or for county office purposes, is sold under authority herein granted, the money paid for said real estate by the State of Indiana shall constitute a special fund for the purchase of new court house grounds and part payment for the erection of a new court house and for no other purposes, providing that, whenever any county has sold its court house and public office building to the State of Indiana, the board of commissioners of said county may purchase real estate for the erection of a new court house at the county seat of such county and erect a new court house thereon, without any appropriation therefor by the county council of such county or without appraisment thereof, authorizing the board of commissioners of such county, whenever the sale of said real estate, on which such court house and county office building is situated, has been made to

the State of Indiana, with deferred payments of the purchase price or any part thereof, to issue bonds or notes of said county for all or part of the amount of said deferred payments, without an order from the county council of said county, that the proceeds thereof may be used to purchase new grounds and erect a new court house thereon, providing that, when the price paid by the State of Indiana for such real estate of any county, upon which a court house or county office building is located, is not sufficient to pay the purchase price of the new ground bought by the board of commissioners for a new court house site and the contract price of the new court house, which the commissioners may determine to erect, the board of commissioners of such county, may issue bonds of said county in an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars to secure funds to pay the purchase price for said new court house site and contract price of said new court house, without any order by the county council of said county, providing that all bonds and notes issued under the authority of this act shall be non-taxable, providing for a tax levy to pay the principal and interest of such bonds, providing that condemnation proceedings may be brought to secure real estate for a new court house site, providing the manner of the letting of the contract for the building of such new court house, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 663, by Mr. Harker:

A bill for an act concerning the sale of the material of old or insufficient public school buildings or the use of such material in new or repaired public school buildings in cities, towns

or townships, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Manufacturers and Commerce.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 440, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Jacoby offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 440 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By striking out of section two (2), line fourteen (14), the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."

JACOBY.

Which motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Miller, the enacting clause was stricken out.

On motion of Mr. Miller of Howard, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY AFTERNOON

February 20, 1917.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 407, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Walker, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 56.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Baker, Bayer, Buller, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Day, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Haslanger, Henke, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Westfall, Westrick, Wright of Clay. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 392, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham,

Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 82.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Houghton, Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 539, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Durham moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bartel, Cook, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, McClaskey, McNagny, Miller of Howard, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods. Total, 40.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Harker, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, Lafuze, Mason Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total 46.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 266, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cravens moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Wright moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Cooper, Davis of Lake, Dilworth,

Dynes, Geddes, Habermel, Harris, Hessong, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Lafuze, Mason, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Myers, Overmyer, Robertson, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Westfall, Williams, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 35.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, McClaskey, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Swain, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 56.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 313, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Westfall moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay,

Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Henke, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, McClaskey, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 55.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Baker, Curry, Dilworth, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Henke, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Sipe, Swain, Turner, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 33.

The bill was delared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 496, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes,

Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bonham, Cook, Downey, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 331, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White

Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 63.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Buller, Coggins, Cronin, Curry, Day, Downey, Duffey, Eikenberry, Hoffman, Houghton, Johnson of Grant, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Mosier, Myers, Ryan, Tucker, Vesey, Winesburg, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 24.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 269, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn,

Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Coggins, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Durham, Griffin, Houghton, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Ryan, Tucker, Williams, Wright of Clay. Total, 14.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 227, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn,

Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 86.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 254, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dilworth moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 89, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Harmon offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 89 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

That a new section be added to be numbered section three (3) and to read as follows: "The headlights with which any motor vehicle is equipped shall be so arranged and adjusted that the light thrown directly ahead or sidewise thereon shall be, at all times, under the control and management of the person driving said motor vehicle while riding in the front seat thereof, and it shall be the duty of every driver of any such motor when approaching or passing any vehicle driving in the opposite

direction to so dim such headlights as not to throw any dazzling, bewildering, confusing or intense rays projected from such headlights into any such approaching vehicle.

HARMON.

Mr. Buller moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harmon moved to make the bill a special order for Saturday at 10:00 o'clock.

Mr. Waltz moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion was lost and the Harmon motion prevailed and the bill was made a special order for 10 o'clock Saturday.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 312, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 312, be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

Strike out all of line seventeen (17), section one (1), after the word "work," also all of lines eighteen (18) and nineteen (19); also the word "within" in line twenty (20) and write in lieu thereof the words "not later than;" also strike out all of line twenty-one (21) after the word "health" and write in lieu thereof the word "shall;" also all of lines 23, 24 and 25; also the word "Indiana" in line twenty-six (26) and write in lieu thereof the following: "The state board's nomination of such member on the board of sanitary commissioners" after the word "nominations" in line twenty-eight (28) write the following: "the member so ap-



pointed and the city civil engineer as a member of such board within ten days after the appointment of the nominee of said state board of health shall nominate a third member of such board who shall be appointed by the mayor of such city within ten days after the receipt of such nomination, provided, however, that if said two members fail to nominate as above provided or if they cannot agree on a nomination within ten days as above provided, then the judge of the circuit court of said district in which such city of the first class is located, shall nominate the third member of the board of sanitary commissioners who shall be appointed by the mayor of such city within ten days after the receipt of such nomination by such circuit judge.

In line one (1), section two (2), strike out the words "within ten days after" and write in lieu thereof the words "not later than."

In line twenty-seven (27), section two (2), after the word "them" and before the word "provided," strike out the words "for such preliminary work."

Also strike out the word "sewage" in line twenty-seven (27) section three (3), and write in lieu thereof the word "sewerage."

Also after the word service in line sixty-four (64), section three (3), insert the following: "And a decision of that department shall be final and shall be submitted in writing to such board of sanitary commissioners."

Also after the word "revenue" and before the word "shall" in line eighty (80), section three (3), strike out the word "therefrom" and insert the following "derived therefrom any amount over and above the amount needed for maintenance."

In line ninety-three (93), section three (3), strike out the word "to" and write in lieu thereof "they shall."

Also after the word "revenue" in line ninety-seven (97), section three (3), strike out the word "therefrom" and insert the following: "Derived therefrom any amount over and above the amount needed for maintenance."

In line ten (10), section twenty-one (21), strike out the word "one" before the word "cents and write in lieu thereof the word "two."

MONTGOMERY.

Which motion prevailed.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which House Bill No. 312, was recommitted with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report the same amended as directed.

Strike out all of line seventeen (17), section one (1), after the word "work"; also all of lines eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) also the word "within" in line twenty (20) and write in lieu thereof the words "not later than;" also strike out all of line twenty-one (21) after the word "health" and write in lieu thereof the word "shall;" also all of lines 23, 24 and 25; also the word "Indiana" in line twenty-six (26) and write in lieu thereof the following: "the state board's nomination of such members on the board of sanitary commissioners;" after the word "nominations" in line twenty-eight (28), write the following: "the members so appointed and the city civil engineer as a member of such board, within ten days after the appointment of the nominee of said state board of health shall nominate a third member of such board who shall be appointed by the mayor of such city within ten days after the receipt of such nomination, provided, however, that if said two members fail to nominate as above provided or if they cannot agree on a nomination within ten days as above

provided then the judge of the circuit court of said district in which such city of the first-class is located, shall nominate the third member of the board of sanitary commissioners who shall be appointed by the mayor of such city within ten days after the receipt of such nomination by such circuit judge."

In line one (1), section two (2), strike out the words "within ten days after" and write in lieu thereof the words "not later than."

In line twenty-seven (27), section (2), after the words "then" and before the word "provided" strike out the words "for such preliminary work."

Also strike out the word "sewage" in line twenty-seven (27), section three (3), and write in lieu thereof, the word "sewerage."

Also after the word service in line sixty-four (64), of section three (3), insert the following: "And a decision of that department shall be final and shall be submitted in writing to such board of sanitary commissioners."

Also after the word "revenue" and before the word "shall" in line eighty (80), section three (3), strike out the word "therefrom" and insert the following "derived therefrom any amount over and above the amount needed for maintenance."

In line ninety-three (93), section three (3), strike out the word "to" and write in lieu thereof "they shall."

Also after the word "revenue" in line ninety-seven (97), section three (3), strike out the word "therefrom" and insert the following: "Derived therefrom any amount over and above the amount needed for maintenance."

In line ten (10), section twenty-one (21), strike out the word "one" before the word "cents and write in lieu thereof the word "two."

MONTGOMERY.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 86.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 427, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 427 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

After the word "session" in line six (6) and seven (7) of section two (2), insert the following: "Provided however that the board of school trustees of any such city or town, or the trustees of any such township may determine that such continuation school or class shall be held at any time between the hours of 8 o'clock in the morning and nine o'clock at night."

Also strike out all of section three (3) of said bill and in lieu thereof, insert the following:

Section 3. Whenever any continuation school or class has been established and maintained according to the standards and requirements set by the state board of education for the organization and conduct of such continuation schools or classes, the state shall reimburse the school city, town or township for two-thirds ( $\frac{2}{3}$ ) the cost of teachers of such school or class to be paid from the fund provided by an act entitled, "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913, the same to be paid in the manner provided for in said act. After September 1st, 1919, the amount of reimbursement to cities, towns and townships shall be one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) the cost of teachers.

HARKER.

Which motion prevailed.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 427 with specific instructions to amend, begs

leave to report that it has amended said bill as per instructions as follows:

After the word "session" in line six (6) and seven (7) of section two (2) by inserting the following:

"Provided however that the board of school trustees of any such city or town, or the trustees of any such township may determine that such continuation school or class shall be held at any time between the hours of 8 o'clock in the morning and 9 o'clock at night."

Also by striking out all of section three (3) of said bill and in lieu thereof, inserting the following:

"Section 3. Whenever any continuation school or class has been established and maintained according to the standards and requirements set by the state board of education for the organization and conduct of such continuation schools or classes, the state shall reimburse the school city, town or township for two-thirds ( $\frac{2}{3}$ ) the cost of teachers of such school or class to be paid from the fund provided by an act entitled, "An act to provide for the encouragement, maintenance and supervision of vocational education in industries, agriculture and domestic science," approved February 22, 1913, the same to be paid in the manner provided for in said act. After September 1st, 1919, the amount of reimbursement to cities, towns and townships shall be one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) the cost of teachers.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs, Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook,

Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 313 passed.

Cravens.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 270, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Durham, Ryan, Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Mr. McNagny made the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Whereas, the Sixty-seventh General Assembly of the State of Indiana, created the Indiana historical commission for the purpose of properly observing the State Centennial, the

collecting and preserving historical data in the interest of the citizens of the State;

And whereas, the members of such commission have without compensation discharged the duties entrusted to their care in a most laudable manner and have with unusual intelligence and ability through historical pageants and various centennial celebrations and other means aroused a most permanent and salutary interest in the history and affairs of the State.

Therefore, be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that there is due to such historical commission and its members and employees, severally and collectively, and especially to Governor Samuel M. Ralston, Dr. James J. Woodburn, Harlow Lindley, Father John Cavanaugh, Charles W. Moores, Dr. Frank Wynn, Lew O'Bannon, Samuel M. Foster, Charity Dye, W. C. Woodard and Lucy M. Elliot, an expression of the appreciation of the people of the State of Indiana; and that these legislative bodies as representing the entire citizenship of the State, do now, hereby, officially tender to said body and its members, its vote of thanks and appreciation; that suitable copies of these resolutions be prepared and presented to all members of said commission as a testimonial of the State's appreciation of that high unselfish and efficient citizenship exemplified by their acts.

McNAGNY.

The resolution was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, February 21, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## WEDNESDAY MORNING.

February 21, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. George M. Smith, pastor of Roberts Park Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kreig, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 94.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Burt, Cronin, Hougham, Robertson, Sambor, Turner. Total, 6.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Johnson the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 629, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 107, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 221, had had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 114, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 198, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SYMONS.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 200, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 537, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 610, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT,  
JOHNSON,  
MOSIER,  
SIPE,  
MILLER,  
HEPLER,  
HENKE.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 610, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended.

By striking out the word "county's" in line (8) section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sheriff's" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MENDENHALL,  
OSBORN.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was carried and the minority report of the committee was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report of the Committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 166, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HARKER.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 262, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by inserting after the figure "10" in section ten (10), the following words and figures, to-wit:

Sections 1 to 71, both inclusive, of an act concerning the organization of

drainage, sanitary and reclamation districts and prescribing their powers and duties, being chapter 88, and sections 1 to 37, both inclusive, of an act concerning the maintenance, repair, improvement and betterment of ditches and drains, being chapter No. 107, approved March 8, 1915, are hereby repealed."

Also that said bill be amended by striking out the period (.) after the word "law" in line four (4) of section ten (10), and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and adding the words "not specifically hereby repealed."

Also that the title to said bill be amended by striking out the period (.) after the word "ditches" in the title and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) and adding the following words and figures to-wit: "and repealing sections 1 to 71, both inclusive, of an act concerning the organization of drainage, sanitary and reclamation districts and prescribing their powers and duties, and sections 1 to 37, both inclusive, of an act concerning the maintenance, repair, improvement and betterment of ditches and drains, approved March 8, 1915, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 649, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 17, has had the same

under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 234, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting after the word "annum" in line sixteen (16) on page four (4) of the engrossed bill the words "from the date the last installment of the assessment on said improvement becomes due." And when so amended that said bill do pass.

WOOD.

House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 635, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of said bill after and following the enacting clause and in lieu thereof insert the following:

That whenever a hospital association shall have been organized and incorporated under the laws of the State of Indiana, having its principal office and place of business designated in its articles of association as located in, or within one mile of the limits of, any city of the fifth class, and such hospital association shall desire to construct within such city, or within one mile thereof, a hospital to be operated not for profit, but as a benevolence, and the common council of such city shall

find that said city is not provided with sufficient hospital facilities to properly care for the citizens thereof, then and in that case the common council of such city is hereby authorized to make an appropriation of money to aid in the construction and equipment of hospital buildings and the purchase of suitable grounds therefor, in a sum not in excess of the sum provided for such purchase and construction by such hospital association, and is hereby authorized to enter into such contract or contracts with such hospital association and the donor or donors of any fund for such purpose, for the naming of said hospital, the holding of the title to such hospital building and grounds, and for the receiving of donations and the terms upon which donations may be accepted for the construction thereof, as such council may deem most advantageous to the citizens of such city, and such contracts when so entered into shall be valid and binding upon such city, such hospital association and such donor or donors.

Section 2. Whenever any hospital buildings or grounds shall have been provided and equipped in accordance with the provisions of this act, and the funds derived from fees paid by patients in such hospital in any one year and all other income of such association, shall not be sufficient to defray all the expenses of maintaining such hospital and grounds, then and in that case such city is hereby authorized to appropriate and pay to such hospital association annually a sufficient sum to defray such deficiency.

Section 3. No sum shall be appropriated by any city council for the erection, construction, equipment, maintenance or purchase of grounds for any such hospital unless the construction and maintenance thereof shall be in the hands of a board of trustees entirely nonsectarian and non-political.



Section 4. Such hospital when constructed shall be open to all citizens of such city on reasonable terms, and shall be open on reasonable terms to all physicians of such city who desire to place patients therein, and shall be open, without charge, to all employees of the city who may be injured in the course of their employment, and shall be open to all poor and indigent persons of such city on reasonable rates to be paid by the proper officers having charge of the care of such poor and indigent persons.

Section 5. Such common council of such city is hereby authorized to issue and sell bonds of such city to provide funds to aid in such purchase, equipment and construction of such hospital buildings and grounds, as aforesaid, in like manner and under like regulations as the issuing and sale of bonds for the construction of other city buildings, and to levy and collect the necessary taxes to pay and satisfy such bonds when due.

Section 6. Such common council of such city is hereby authorized to annually levy and collect a tax not in excess of five cents on each one hundred dollars of the taxable property of such city to provide funds to aid in the maintenance of such hospital as hereinbefore provided.

Section 7. Whereas, an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 123, has had the same under consideration and begs leave

to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

WOOD.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Printed House Bill No. 402, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

In line eight (8), strike out the words "a five years" and insert "an elementary three (3) years state license or a three (3) year state high school license in five subjects."

In line nine (9) insert after the word "license," "at the time of his re-election."

In line fifteen (15) insert after "hold" "an elementary three (3) years state license or a three (3) years state high school license in five subjects."

In line sixteen (16) after the word "license" insert "at time of his election or re-election." In line sixteen (16) before the word "provided" insert "Provided, that by the approval of the state board of education an equivalent may be substituted for the academic qualifications required in this act."

In line eighteen (18) strike out the word "provisions" and insert in lieu thereof the words "academic qualifications."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

Which report was adopted.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 516, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line 27, section 1, the word "automatically."

By striking out of line 4, section 3, the word and figures "fifteen (15)" and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure twelve (12)."

By adding to line 5, section 3, after the period the following words, "The dealer shall pay all transportation charges."

By striking out of line 1, section 6, beginning with the word "in" including all the remainder of line 1, all of lines 2, 3, 4 and 5 and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

The word "person" whenever used in this act shall be construed to mean a person, firm, corporation or association, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 161, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on State Medicine etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 588, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding section seven (7) to read as follows, to-wit: Section seven (7), Nothing in this act shall be construed

to apply to cities of the first (1st) class. and when so amended that said bill do pass.

READ,  
JINNETT,  
KESSLER,  
JOHNSON,  
HESSONG,  
HENKE.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Medicine, Health etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 588, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

COOPER,  
GENTRY,  
GRUBE,  
GEDDES,  
COGGINS.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was carried and the minority report of the committee was substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the substituted report of the committee.

Message to the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 139, 159, 250, 286, 259, also engrossed House Bills Nos. 147, 155, 194, 196, 222, and 301, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rivers and Waters, to which was referred House

Bill No. 650, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

WILLIAMS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Soldiers Monument, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 29, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

SCOTT.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 619, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred House Bill No. 618, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 151, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That section three (3) be amended as follows: That the following words in line twenty-two (22) of section three (3) be stricken out, to-wit: "returned as" and the following words in lines 23 and 24 of section 3 of the printed Senate Bill be stricken out, to-wit: "one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of which shall constitute a fund to provide necessary and suitable real estate, buildings and equipment," and that the word "such" in line 24 in section three (3) be stricken out and in lieu of the word "such" the word "any" be inserted.

That there be inserted after the word "equipment" in line 25, section 3, the following words: "held for use of the corporations."

That section four (4) be amended as follows: that the word "with" in line seventeen (17) be stricken out and in lieu thereof the word "within" be inserted, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MCCLASKEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 486, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MCCLASKEY,  
GEDDES,  
JAMESON,  
MILTENBERGER,  
ANDERSON,  
MILES,  
SYMONS,  
JINNETT.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 486, has had the same under

consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HABERMEL,  
CRONIN.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was lost, and the minority report was not substituted for the majority.

The House adopted the majority report of the committee.

Special committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Special Committee of three, appointed to consider House Bills Nos. 257 and 258 has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that they be amended by the amendments hereto attached.

HOUGHTON.

Mr. Harris offered the following motion to House Bill No. 257, as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 257 be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "or" after the comma after the word "county" in line thirteen (13) section two (2) thereof; and by inserting the words "of the United States of America" after the comma after the word "Indiana" in line fourteen (14) of section two (2) thereof, of the printed bill.

That House Bill No. 257 be amended by adding section four (4) thereto as follows:

Section 4. Whereas an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act therefore the same shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

HARRIS.

Mr. Harris offered the following motion to House Bill No. 258, as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 258, by striking out of the printed bill in section two (2), line twenty-two (22), the word "for" after the comma following the word "county" and by inserting in line twenty-two (22) of section two (2), after the comma following the word "Indiana" the words, "or the United States of America."

HARRIS.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion to House Bill No. 258:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 258, by adding after section sixteen (16), of the printed bill, the following:

Section 17. The words "associations" and "corporations" whenever used in this act shall be construed to mean a voluntary association, organized under the laws of the State of Indiana, for the purpose of acquiring real estate for public parks or forest reserve purposes.

CRAVENS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 626, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

READ.

Which report was adopted.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred En-

grossed Senate Bill No. 136, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out all of section one (1) after the enacting clause and in lieu thereof insert the following:

That all landowners in the State of Indiana shall, between the fifteenth (15th) day of June and the fifteenth (15th) day of August in each year cut down and destroy or cause to be cut down and destroyed all briars, thistles, burrs, docks, willows, sumac, reeds, cat-tails, tall grass, shrubs and all other noxious weeds and growths along both sides of all fences constructed along public highways, and along the owners' side of all partition fences constructed between such owner's land and the land of adjoining landowners, and that during said entire period of time each landowner shall keep said highway free and clear from said weeds and growths as aforesaid.

Also strike out all of section two (2) and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Sec. 2. If any such landowner shall refuse or neglect to comply with the provisions of this act, the township trustee of the township in which such land is located, upon his own motion, or upon complaint being made by any interested person, shall institute an investigation of such condition or complaint; and if it appears that the provisions of this act have not been complied with at the expiration of the specified time, such township trustee shall immediately give five (5) days' notice in writing to the owner of the land to destroy such weeds. On the neglect or refusal of the landowner to cut down and destroy the noxious weeds at the end of five (5) days the township trustee shall assign the work of cutting and destroying such noxious weeds to some

resident of the township, and any person so employed may enter upon the lands, premises and property of another to perform such work and labor, and in the discharge of said duty shall in no wise be deemed or held a trespasser.

Also strike out all of section three (3) and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Sec. 3. The township trustee is hereby authorized to pay for such work and labor performed in the cutting down and destroying of noxious weeds along the highway under the provisions of this act the sum of twenty-five cents (25c) an hour for the time actually employed in said work. When said work has been completed the person doing the work shall file his itemized bill for such work in the office of the township trustee of the proper township, and when the same has been approved or allowed the township trustee shall certify the cost of such work to the auditor of the county and the auditor of the county shall place the same upon the tax duplicate of the county as a special tax to be collected from said landowner as other taxes are collected.

Also strike out all of section 4.

Add another section numbered section 5 as follows:

Section 5. That the title of an act entitled "An act concerning the cutting down and destroying of briars, thistles, burrs, docks, willows, sumac, and other noxious weeds by owners of lands along public highways," approved March 10, 1915, be amended to read as follows:

An act providing for the cutting down and destroying by owners of land of all noxious weeds and growths along both sides of all fences constructed along public highways and along the owner's side of all partition fences.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred House Bill No. 523, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "chief inspector" in line three (3), section two (2), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "industrial board."

By striking out the words "chief inspector's office" in line seven (7), section two (2), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "industrial board."

By striking out the words "chief inspector or one of his assistants" in line two (2), section three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the industrial board." At the end of line two (2), section three (3), inserting the words "cause the same to be."

By striking out the word "same" in line three (3), section three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof "by one or more of said assistant inspectors."

By striking out the words "chief inspector" at the end of line thirteen (13) and at the beginning of line fourteen (14), section three (3), respectively, and inserting in lieu thereof "industrial board."

By striking out the words "the chief inspector" line seventeen (17), section three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "said board."

By striking out the word "inspector's office" in line nineteen (19), section three (3), and inserting in lieu thereof "office of said board."

By striking out the words "the chief inspector, or at his order," and inserting

in lieu thereof the words "upon the order of the industrial board" in line one (1), section four (4).

By striking out the word "his" in line two (2), section four (4) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the."

By striking out the word "state inspector's office" line seven (7), section four (4), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "industrial board."

By striking out the words "the chief inspector or at his order, either" and inserting in lieu thereof "upon the order of the industrial board, any" lines nine (9) and ten (10) section four (4).

By striking out the word "his" in line ten (10), section four (4), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the;" by inserting the word "inspectors" after the word "assistant."

By striking out the words "the chief inspector or" line one (1), section five (5), and inserting in lieu thereof "upon the order of the industrial board."

By striking out the word "his," line one (1), section five (5), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the."

By striking out the word "at his order" line two (2), section five (5).

By striking out the word "chief inspector" line eight (8), section five (5), and inserting in lieu thereof the word "board."

By striking out the words "chief inspector's office" line ten (10), section five (5), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "industrial board."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

BEHMER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 79, has had the same under consideration and beg

leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Insert after section two (2) another section numbered section two and one-half (2½) as follows:

"Section 2½. That in all cities of the first class in this state all township trustees and all persons, corporations, organizations and associations, not hereinafter excepted, who publicly solicit and distribute funds and other forms of aid for the relief, maintenance and support of children and indigent and sick dependent persons within such cities are hereby required to report to the city board of health and charities, semi-annually, beginning January 1, 1918, the names of each and every person from whom any funds or other article of value have been solicited and received, together with the amount of such funds and nature and amount of such other article of value so received from each person; and shall also at such time report the names of each and every person to whom aid of any sort has been given, the amount and nature of such aid to each person, and shall account in such report for all funds and other articles of value received by them during such period, together with the expenditure and disposition thereof."

Insert also after section three (3) another section numbered three and one-half (3½) as follows:

Section 3½. Nothing in this act shall require any such township trustee, person, corporation, organization or association to disclose the name or identity of any mother of an illegitimate child who has come under their care or to which they have given any aid or funds, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 243, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning the maintenance and repair of township highways,' approved March 15, 1913," approved March 3, 1915, and to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of township highways," approved March 15, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 58, being:

A bill for an act concerning the inspection of petroleum oil.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. McNagny offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed Substituted House Bill No. 58 by striking out all of line twenty-nine (29), section three (3), after the word "section" and the letters "ernor" at the beginning of line thirty (30) in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Shall be as follows: State oil inspector \$500.00 annually in addition to his present salary; each deputy appointed by said chief oil inspector \$1,000.00 per year; chief chemist \$2,500.00 per year; assistant chemist \$2,000.00 per year; clerk \$1,500.00 per year.

McNAGNY.

Mr. McGonagle moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 310, being:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred and ninety-seven (697)

of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act for the regulation of weights and measures, approved March 9, 1885,' and adding a supplemental section thereto, prescribing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of said section one of this act, and declaring an emergency," approved February 11, 1897.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 345, being:

A bill for an act to make uniform the law of transfer of shares of stock in corporations.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 372, being:

A bill for an act authorizing courts to appoint a trustee with powers to said trustee to receive money for the use and benefit of children in certain divorce proceedings and to handle such moneys and pay and distribute the same for the use and benefit of the children of the divorced parties.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 514, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 419 of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905," approved March 11, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 582, being:

A bill for an act to enable certain

counties to establish and maintain public hospitals.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Read offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 582 as follows:

By striking out the words "a pauper" in line four (4), section ten (10), and inserting in lieu thereof the words "an indigent;" and by striking out of lines one (1) and two (2), section fifteen (15), the words "have power at all times to" and by substituting the word "department" for the word "room" in line two (2) of section fifteen (15). Add to section fourteen (14) the following: the curriculum of which shall conform to the requirements of the Indiana State Board of Nurses, and by striking out all of section twenty-two (22).

READ.

Which amendment was adopted and the bill, with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 640, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of "An act entitled an act to amend section forty-two (42) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, approved March 5, 1909."

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Bill No. 640 by striking out of lines twelve (12) and thirteen (13) of section one after the word "time" and before the word "upon" the following "or the clerk's office thereof in vacation,"



and by striking out the word "to" after the comma in line eighteen (18) of said section one (1) and by inserting the word "in" in lieu thereof.

KIMMEL.

The amendment was adopted and with the bill was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 485, being:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act entitled 'An act for protecting county auditors against any civil or criminal liability by reason of any warrants issued by them in good faith upon the order and authority of the board of county commissioners of this State and repealing all laws in conflict therewith,' and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1911.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 245, being:

A bill for an act to provide alternative forms of government for cities adopting the same.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 245 as follows, to-wit:

Section 8, line twelve of printed bill by striking out the word "sheriff" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two sheriffs." Section 16, lines one and two of the printed bill by striking out the words "first Monday in September," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "last Tuesday in August." Section 51, line three of the printed bill by inserting after the word "judge" in said line three a comma. Section 61 line eight of the printed bill by adding

the letter "s" to the word "amendment." Section 24, line twelve of the printed bill by striking off the last letter "s" in the word "newspapers."

ANDERSON.

• Which report was adopted and the bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 56, by Senator Laney, being:

A bill for an act concerning changes of venue in civil actions, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 167, by Senator Kolsem, being:

A bill for an act concerning the department of public parks in all cities of the second class as defined by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto; conferring additional powers upon all such departments of public parks; authorizing the creation of park districts, authorizing and empowering such departments to acquire land for and improve parks, parkways, park boulevards and boulevards of said city and district and to assess the cost thereof upon all property within said city or district; authorizing the issuing of bonds to defray the cost thereof and the levying of a tax to meet such bonds, such powers herein granted being in addition to all other powers now conferred upon such departments of public parks by said acts and any and all other laws.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 52, by Senator Smith, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning township business," approved February 27, 1899, and fixing a manner of fixing vacancies occurring in township advisory boards.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 91, by Senator Hudgins, being:

A bill for an act concerning municipal corporations, and matters properly connected therewith.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 91 by adding after the word "adopted" in section one (1), line four (4), the words:

"Provided that such ordinance shall not be effective as to any incumbent of, or person duly nominated for or elected to, either of such offices at the time such ordinance is passed."

Also change the period in line four (4), section one (1) to a comma.

HARKER.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was ordered engrossed with the amendment.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 250, by Senator Mercer, being:

A bill for an act entitled an act to amend sections 59, 60 and 61 of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents, to cause provision to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of

employment; to provide methods of insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 139, by Senator Hirsch, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend section eighteen (18) and section one hundred one (101) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission,' approved March 8, 1915."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 159, by Senator Culbertson, being:

A bill for an act, entitled an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, "An act entitled an act to provide for the protection and reclamation of lands subject to overflow, by the construction and maintenance of levees," approved March 9, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Swamp Lands.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259, by Senator McCray, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to

amend section 467 of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905, and repealing so much of section 468 of said act as is in conflict with this act."

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 286, by Senator Grant, being:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the organization of drainage, sanitary and reclamation districts and prescribing their powers, and duties," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

February 21, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 417, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Miltenberger moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill.

Which motion prevailed and the further consideration of House Bill No. 417 was indefinitely postponed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 467, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Harris offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move Engrossed House Bill No. 467 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By striking out the period after the word "products in line three (3) of section seven (7), and placing thereafter a semi-colon and adding the following words: "Provided however that nothing contained in section six (6) and seven (7) of the within act shall be construed in any way so as to give said board any authority to prescribe rules for, or to have any jurisdiction over, any farmer, milk or cream distributor, who produces such milk or cream by him distributed or sold."

HARRIS.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Geddes moved that the further consideration of House Bill No. 467 be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Osborn offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that hereafter no more than ten minutes be allowed for discussion for and against a motion to amend bill on third reading.

OSBORN.

Mr. Vesey moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

Motion of Osborn prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 299, which was read a third time in full.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kreig, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 472, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham

Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Curry, Davis of Jay, Eisterhold, Houghton, Jacoby, Miles, Moore, Tucker, Mr. Speaker. Total, 10.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 418, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland,

Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Jacoby, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall. Total, 26.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 539 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to reconsider the vote on House Bill No. 539 which was read a third time on February 20th, 1917, and failed to pass.

CRAVENS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harker moved that further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Miller moved to lay the Harker motion on the table.

Messrs. Harker and Johnson of Grant demanded the ayes and noes.

The question being on the tabling of the Harker motion:

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Miller of Howard, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Westfall, Woods. Total, 45.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Curry, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Green, Harker, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, Kafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 44.

The motion to lay on the table prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth,

Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McNagny, Miller of Howard, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Southard, Turner, Tucker, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Woods. Total, 35.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Green, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 49.

The Speaker declared the bill had failed to pass.

Mr. Harker moved to reconsider the vote on House Bill No. 539 and that motion be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 437, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Bartel, Clapp, Durham, Griffin, Henke, Hepler, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Read, Turner, Walker, Westfall. Total 13.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 68.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 105, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Vesey, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 54.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 350, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hessong, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McCluskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Mushet, Overmyer, Read, Southard, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 43.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman,

Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 44.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 449, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Scott, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 58.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Mason, Miller of Howard, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Sipe, Turner, Westfall, Westrick. Total, 22.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 507, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Green, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hyland, Hessong, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 59.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Harris, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Miller of Howard, Osborn, Robertson, Tucker, Turner, Westrick. Total, 21.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 554, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Cronin, Eisterhold, Jacoby, O'Leary, Turner, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 5 was handed down by the Speaker and read the third time in full.

The question being, upon the adoption of said resolution.



The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total. 81.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The resolution was declared passed.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 382 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill 382 be recommit-  
ted to a committee of one, its  
author, with specific instructions to  
amend the same as follows:

By striking out the word "are" in the  
engrossed copy in line two (2), section  
twelve (12) and inserting in lieu thereof  
the word "is."

At line thirteen (13) of section thirty-  
six (36) of the engrossed bill insert be-  
fore the word "that" the words and  
figures "section thirty-seven (37)."

At line one (1), section thirty-seven  
(37) of the engrossed bill, strike out the  
figure thirty-seven (37) and insert in lieu  
thereof the figure thirty-eight (38).

DYNES.

Which motion prevailed.

Committee report.

Mr. Sipe offered the following report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was  
referred House Bill No. 382, with specific  
instructions to amend, begs leave to  
report that it has had the same under  
consideration and that said bill has  
been amended by striking out the word  
"are" in line two (2), section twelve  
(12), of the engrossed bill and inserting  
in lieu thereof the word "is;" by in-  
serting at line thirteen (13) of section  
thirty-six (36) of the engrossed bill  
before the word "that" the word and  
figure "section 37;" by striking out the  
figure 37 in line 1 section 37 of the  
engrossed bill and inserting in lieu  
thereof the figure 38.

SIPLE.

Which report was adopted and the  
amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill  
pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the  
House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson,  
Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham,  
Buller, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens,  
Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake,  
Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dur-  
ham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes,  
Gentry, Green, Griffin, Harker, Harris,  
Hartke, Haslanger, Hoffman, Houghton,

Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagney, Msson, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Eisterhold, Henke, Turner, Mr. Speaker. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 382 by striking out the same and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for an act creating and establishing a park district with special taxing powers within the territory comprising cities of the first class and adjacent territory lying outside of the boundaries of such cities of the first class within two thousand (2000) feet of the outside boundaries of such cities and including any incorporated town within the boundaries of such cities of the first class, providing for a special election, the appointment of boards of park commissioners of such park district, defining the powers, rights and duties of the board of park commissioners of such park district, conferring certain powers and duties upon the mayor of such city of the first class within such district and upon the trustees of any town within the boundaries of any such district and upon the judge of the circuit court wherein

such district is situated and upon the county council and treasurer of such county wherein such district is situated, providing for the transfer of park property, rights and contracts of any such city or town, within such park district, authorizing the enactment of rules and regulations by such park boards of such park districts, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, providing for the establishment of a bureau of play grounds and recreation under the control of the park commissioners of such district, and the levying of a tax for such purpose to be levied by the common council of any such city of the first class, and the board of trustees of any incorporated town in such district, providing for the levying of a special benefit tax and the issuance of bonds by such park district, repealing sections 36 and 37 of an act entitled, "An act concerning the "department of public parks" in cities of the first and second classes, defining its powers and duties, conferring certain powers upon the common council and mayor of such cities in relation to said park department, legalizing appointments of boards of park commissioners in such cities, and acts done by such boards, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1911, and amending section 17 of an act entitled, "An act concerning the "department of public parks" in cities of the first and second classes, defining its powers and duties, conferring certain powers upon the common council and mayor of such cities in relation to said park department, legalizing appointments of boards of park commissioners in such cities, and acts done by such boards, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1911, and repealing conflicting laws.

**SIFE.**

The title of the bill was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 408, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Miltenberger offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Printed House Bill No. 408 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

In line three (3), section one (1) and after the word and figure four (4) insert the word "members" and line four (4), section one (1) and after the word "party" strike out the word "members."

MILTENBERGER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miltenberger offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee, to which was referred Printed House Bill No. 408, with specific instructions to amend begs leave to report that it has amended said bill as follows:

Line three (3), section one (1) after the word and figure four (4) have inserted the word "members" and in line four (4), section one (1), and after the word "party" have stricken out the word "members."

MILTENBERGER.

Which report was adopted and the amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:  
Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker,

Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mussett, Myers, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total. 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Douglas, Haslanger, Hepler, Osborn, Turner. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 664, by Wood and Dilworth and Harmon:

A bill for an act to create a commission to codify the drainage laws of the state and providing for an appropriation to defray the necessary expenses involved.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 665, by Jinnett:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act to exempt from taxa-

tion all bonds hereafter issued for the purpose of raising funds to construct free gravel or macadamized roads, in any county in the State of Indiana," approved March 4, 1911.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 666, by Baker:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act requiring railroads corporations, and other persons operating and controlling railroads, to fence their right of way and railroad track, and to construct barriers and cattle-guards at certain public road and highway crossings, and to maintain and keep the same in repair, and prescribing remedies and penalties for failing to do so." approved April 13, 1885.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Railroads.

House Bill No. 667, by Clapp:

A bill for an act concerning county and township officers, fixing and regulating their compensation, prescribing their duties, abolishing the office of township road supervisor, providing when this act shall take effect and to repeal laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to committee on county and Townships.

House Bill No. 668, by Alldredge:

A bill for an act for a commission form of county government.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 669, by Douglas (by request):

A bill for an act providing for advisory commissions for city and county

hospitals and providing that donors shall be on such boards in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 210, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be recommended to your Committee on Ways and Means.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, February 22, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## THURSDAY MORNING.

February 22, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Eugene Arthur Lower, Pastor of the College Avenue Baptist Church of Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin,

Curry, Davis of Lake, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Cravens, Duffey, Gorski, Green, Hepler, Hougham, Jameson, Mosier, Sambor, Tucker, Wood. Total, 11.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, February 21 to be read.

On motion of Mr. Mason the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 560, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 624, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 528, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 527, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 545, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 612, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 613, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding after the word "year" in line eight, section one, the following: "in which realty is assessed;" and by adding after the word "census" in line thirty-six, section one, the following: "and in all civil townships having therein a city of the second-class."

And when so amended said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 518, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 104, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 632, has had the same under consideration

and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 295, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 57, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

"That in all cases when any city, township or incorporated town shall annex any territory of another township, city or incorporated town, or when any town shall be hereafter incorporated in any township embracing unincorporated territory, and when the territory so annexed or incorporated shall be situated in a township, city or incorporated town having a bonded indebtedness unpaid and outstanding, the city, township or incorporated town annexing or incorporating such territory shall be liable for such proportion of such bonded indebtedness existing at the time of annexation or incorporation as the assessed valuation of the taxable property situated in such territory so annexed or incorporated bears to the assessed valuation of the taxable property of such township, city or incorporated town as shown by the last preceding assessment for taxation.

Section 2. If a school house or school houses or other school property shall be located on such territory so annexed or incorporated, such school house or school houses or other school property shall be appraised at or before the time of such annexation or incorporation by three (3) disinterested persons, one (1) of whom shall be appointed by the board of school commissioners of the school city or school cities corresponding to such civil city or civil cities, one by the board of trustees of the school town corresponding to such civil town, and one (1) by the township trustee of the township within which such annexed territory is situated, and the third by the two (2) persons so chosen as the case may be, none of the persons chosen shall be residents of the township, city or incorporated town affected. Before proceeding to the discharge of their duty, each such appraiser shall take and subscribe an oath that he will honestly appraise such school house or school houses and school property at its fair cash value, and such appraisers shall return their appraisal when completed to the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which such school city, school town and township are located and such appraisal shall by such clerk be filed and recorded. The appraisal of such appraisers may be reviewed by the circuit or superior court in which such proceedings may be had, on written exception filed by either party in the office of the clerk of the circuit or superior court, within ten (10) days after the filing of such appraisal and the court shall make such order therein as right and justice may require, by ordering a reappraisal on good cause shown. If no such exceptions shall be filed within such period of ten (10) days such appraisal so made and recorded shall be deemed binding on such school city or school town and school township. No such

appeal shall delay the annexation of such territory and the subsequent proceedings on the appeal shall only affect the amount of compensation to be allowed. Until such township, city or town school corporation shall have paid such indebtedness, it shall not be entitled to a deed therefor, and if such indebtedness is paid by said school township, town or city, such school township, town or city, shall be entitled to recover the amount so paid from said city, town or township school corporation with interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum from date of payment, and on payment of such amount the said school corporation shall be entitled to a deed of such property as now by law provided, whenever any annexation of such property has been made prior to the passage of this act then liability on the part of such annexing city, town or township for any such indebtedness remaining unpaid at the time of the passage of this act, shall be under this act the same as if such annexation had taken place subsequent to the passage of this act.

Section 3. That an act entitled "An act to provide for the reimbursement of school townships where school property belonging thereto has been or shall hereafter be annexed to any city or incorporated town, and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1899, and an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the reimbursement of school townships where school property belonging thereto has been or shall hereafter be annexed to any city or incorporated town, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 3, 1889, and declaring an emergency," approved February 28, 1913, be and the same are hereby repealed, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 512, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 623, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report said bill back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by striking out all of section two of said bill after the word "purpose" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

It shall be the duty of the county recorder with whom any such mortgage or assignment is filed to indorse a number upon the same in regular order together with the time of receiving the same and such recorder shall enter the name of every party thereto in the index of the record of chattel mortgages in alphabetical order, placing mortgagors and mortgagees under a separate head and stating in separate columns, opposite each name, the number endorsed upon the mortgage or assignment, the date thereof, the date of filing, the amount secured thereby, a brief of the substance thereof not otherwise entered and the date on which it is due. No such mortgage or assignment shall be copied at large in the record of chattel mortgages unless the mortgagee shall make application therefor and shall pay the fees prescribed by law for recording deeds of conveyance. All such mortgages and assignments shall be filed in the office of such county recorder in a secure and appropriate place and made accessible for inspection and consultation.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 594, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JAMESON,  
McCLASKEY,  
WALKER,  
WOODS,  
KRIEG,  
READ.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 594, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY,  
HARRIS,  
HARMON,  
WILLIAMS,  
DILWORTH.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority?

The minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 570, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back



to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 538, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 95, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

After the word "recorded" in line twelve, section one add the following words "within five days after execution thereof" also in line twenty-two, section one after the word "thereof" add the following words: "Provided that in the event a mechanics lien is assigned in part, the owners of the several parts shall join as plaintiff in foreclosure proceedings and the judge shall allow only one attorney's fee, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

The amendment was adopted, and the House concurred in the report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations to which was referred House Bill No. 598, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

The report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Railroads to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 101, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DAVIS of Lake.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 137, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 504, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 386, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 471, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommenda-

tion that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 542, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 502, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON,  
HOUGHTON,  
ALLDREDGE,  
JINNETT,  
KUHLMAN,  
BARTEL,  
O'LEARY,  
KRIEG,  
JAMESON.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 502, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

TURNER,  
WALKER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was lost, and the

minority report of the committee was not substituted for the majority report.

The majority report of the committee was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 212, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON,  
HOUGHTON,  
ALLDREDGE,  
KUHLMAN,  
JAMESON,  
KRIEG,  
O'LEARY,  
WALKER,  
BARTEL.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 212, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding the following words after the word "law" at the end of section 2.

The assignee of said assessment shall at least thirty (30) days before the first Monday of May and the first Monday of November certify to the Treasurer of the ——— wherein said assessment is payable the amount paid and the amount of said assessment still due together with interest thereon.

Provided, further, that whenever said assignee of assessment has been paid in full, then the assignee thereof shall certify to the treasurer not more than five days after such payment in full has been made, the fact of the payment of such assessment and directing the treasurer to cancel said assessment lien and

to enter in his books the entire payment and satisfaction of said assessment.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was lost, and the minority report of the committee was not substituted for the majority report.

The majority report of the committee was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 658, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Mines and Mining, to which was referred House Bill No. 634, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WRIGHT.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 664, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MCGONAGLE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 164, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

JINNETT.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 367, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARRIS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 642, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred House Bill No. 621, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WOODS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 177, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the

recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out section three (3) thereof, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

WOODS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred House Bill No. 655, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 194, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 115, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be recommended to your Committee on Ways and Means.

VESSEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 602, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recom-

mendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 606, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 622, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker ordered the roll of counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 670, by Mr. Baker:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred thirteen (613) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

House Bill No. 671, by Mr. Sipe (by request):

A bill for an act concerning insanity inquests.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 672, by Mr. Woods:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred and thirty-two (632) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases" approved April 7, 1881 (same being section 679 of Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes, Revision of 1914) and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 673, by Mr. Woods (by request):

An act authorizing the procurement and expenditure of public funds for the purposes and administration of the offices of the prosecuting attorneys of this State; prescribing the manner thereof; investing investigators of such prosecuting attorneys with powers of constables and peace officers and with authority to serve process; providing for disposition of persons arrested by such investigators; and providing for issuance and execution of search warrant on motion of prosecuting attorneys for books, papers, articles and things, declaring an emergency and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 674, by Messrs. McNagny, Dilworth and Walker:

A bill for an act concerning military instruction in the high schools of the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

House Bill No. 675, by Mr. Axby:

A bill for an act authorizing school townships and the corresponding civil townships to borrow money and issue bonds to purchase school grounds and erect schools houses in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

House Bill No. 572, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning the compensation of township assessors in townships having a population of more than 200,000," approved March 4, 1911.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Curry offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 572, be made a special order for Friday at 10 o'clock.

CURRY.

Mr. Dynes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Whereas, There is a growing need and a demand for some manner of caring for the aged employees in the Federal service, and

Whereas, We believe it to be a matter of strict economy, based on soundest economic principles for the government to provide for its worthy, aged employees who have given the best years of their mental and physical life in its service, and

Whereas, We deem it absolute justice and strictly humanitarian that aged employees be provided for in such way that their declining years be not spent in the shadow of fear and want, but with

the full knowledge that a just government will care for them even as great corporations are now caring for their aged employees; therefore, be it

Resolved, that we, the members of the House of Representatives of the State of Indiana assembled, do recommend a liberal retirement system for the aged employees of the United States Government, which would be but a just recognition of the faithful performance of duty by so large a number of employees grown old in the service.

MONTGOMERY.

The resolution was not adopted.

Mr. Bonham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to reconsider the vote which was taken upon House Bill No. 350, Feb. 21, 1917, by which vote said bill failed to pass.

BONHAM.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon, February 22, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk House of Representatives.

#### THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

February 22, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 217, by Senator McCray, being:

A bill for an act providing for the appointment of bailiffs in the circuit and criminal courts in counties having a population of 250,000 or more, according to the last preceding United States

census, fixing the compensation of such bailiff, providing when the same shall take effect, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1, by Senator Armstrong, being:

A bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of the corporation whose name is now "Oakland City College founded by General Baptists" located at Oakland City, Indiana; to legalize all the acts and proceedings of its several boards of trustees and each and all of the officers and agents of said corporation; to legalize the proceedings changing the name of said corporation to "Oakland City College founded by General Baptists" and to cure any and all defects in the title to property now owned by said corporation, and property that may hereafter vest in said corporation by reason of provisions made in instruments heretofore executed, arising from a use of diversity of names applied to said corporation, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 199, by Senator Elsner, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the acknowledgment and recording of conveyances, mortgages and other instruments executed in foreign countries," approved March 4, 1893.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 135, by Senator English, being:

A bill for an act concerning obliteration of records in juvenile courts and penal or correctional institutions.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128, by Senator Simmons, being:

A bill for an act legalizing certain school bonds or school warrants and the proceedings of the township trustee and acting advisory board as far as they relate to the issuing of such warrants, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 25, by Senator Simmons, being:

A bill for an act legalizing certain school city and school town bonds, levies and expenditures and all proceedings under which same were issued, levied and expended, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Gentry offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, that the sum of one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) is hereby appropriated from funds already appropriated for the use of the general assembly to pay the Mecca Photo Studio for the photographs of members and authority is hereby granted to the superintendent of public buildings and property to place the same upon the walls of the hall of the House of Representatives or elsewhere in the capitol building.

GENTRY.

Mr. Houghton moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Which motion prevailed.

Miltenerberger moved to reconsider the vote on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 77 and that that motion be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Message to the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 129; also Engrossed House Bills Nos. 27, 79 and 248, with amendments, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 266, by Senator Van Auker.

A bill for an act to abolish the office of reporter of the supreme court and to transfer the duties of such reporter to the clerk of the supreme court.

Which was read a first time and referred to Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 131, by Senator Wolfson.

A bill for an act to provide for the plan of payment of municipal bonds hereafter issued in the State of Indiana, and matters relative thereto.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 129, by Senator Spaan.

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 4, 13, 14, 21 and 27 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax on gifts, inheritances, bequests, legacies, devices and successions in certain cases," approved February 28, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

Message from the Governor.

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE HOUSE OF THE SEVENTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House Enrolled Bills Nos. 6 and 44 and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

Indianapolis,  
February 22, 1917.

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF INDIANA:

I herewith return House Enrolled Bill No. 28 without my approval. My objections to the bill are as follows:

The power to lay off and divide a county into townships and from time to time make alterations in the number, names and boundaries of townships has been vested in the board of county commissioners since the organization of the State.

The growth of cities and towns so as to extend into different townships may make the change of township boundary lines necessary and desirable.

The provisions of the bill when applied to townships of small population would not be objectionable or burdensome; but when applied to townships in which there is a city of any considerable size, would make any needed change in township boundary lines burdensome, if not impossible.

The city of Indianapolis is located principally in Center township, but the city extends to the east into Warren township, to the North into Washington township, and to the west into Wayne township, which gives four

different township trustees and four different township assessors jurisdiction, with four different tax rates in the city of Indianapolis. The same condition obtains in other counties of the state. This condition should not exist, and under the law as it now stands the county commissioners would have a right to change the township boundary lines so as to prevent the city or town being in more than one township.

If the bill could be amended so as to apply only to townships with small population I would approve it, but in its present form I feel that the public interest and welfare of the State require me to veto it.

JAMES P. GOODRICH.

House Bill No. 154, being:

A bill for an act authorizing and regulating the practice of chiropractic in the State of Indiana, creating a State board of chiropractic examiners, prescribing its powers and duties, providing penalties for violations of this act, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 154, as follows:

In section one, line 4 after the figure "5" insert the following: "members, one of whom shall be the professor of anatomy at Indiana University, one of whom shall be the professor of physiology at Purdue University, and three of whom shall be," also in section one line five, after the word "ability" strike out the following: "who shall be residents of the State of Indiana and graduates of a reputable school or college of chiropractic, who immediately prior to their appointment shall have practiced



chiropractic continuously in the State of Indiana for a period of at least two (2) years," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "who shall be a graduate of a legally incorporated school or college of chiropractic requiring actual attendance of three school years of not less than six months each, or its equivalent, as a condition of graduation, and whose course of study includes the branches and work above named."

Also in section two, lines two, three and four strike out the words "five (5) chiropractors who shall each possess the qualifications specified in section one of this act, to constitute the" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the three chiropractic," also in section two, line six, after the word "said" insert the words "three chiropractic," also in section two, line eight, strike out the words "one in four years and one in five years." Also in section two, line twelve, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "three."

HARKER.

Mr. Alldredge moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Alldredge offers the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend amendment of the gentleman from Clinton to substitute as follows: That in line thirty-six of section five after the word "applicant" insert "shall submit evidence of having graduated from a high school and taken two years in some university, or its equivalent."

ALLDREDGE.

Mr. Kimmel moves to lay the Alldredge motion to amend on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Harker's amendment was adopted.

Mr. Geddes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to strike out the enacting clause in House Bill No. 154.

GEDDES.

Mr. Harker moves to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 154, by striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

"The state board of medical registration and examination in addition to their other duties, as now provided by law, may grant limited certificates to persons desiring to practice chiropractic under the same conditions and in the same manner in which it now grants certificates to persons practicing osteopathy or any form of drugless healing."

MILLER of Howard.

Mr. Osborn moves to lay the Miller amendment on the table.

Messrs. Miller of Howard and Vesey demanded the ayes and noes.

The question being, Shall the amendment of Mr. Miller of Howard be laid on the table.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cravens Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Eikenberry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Henke, Heppler, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of

Pulaski and White, Krieg, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Southard, Swain, Walker, Westfall, Williams, Wood, Wright, of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 44.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 48.

The amendment was not laid on the table.

The amendment offered by Mr. Miller of Howard is adopted.

The bill, with amendments, was passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 77, by Senators Maston and McKinley, which was read a second time.

Mr. Haslanger offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 77, by adding after the word "election" in line six (6) of section one (1) of the printed bill the following: "and every woman of foreign birth who is a citizen of the United States, or whose husband has declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States."

HASLANGER.

Mr. Anderson moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. Davis of Lake, offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 77, by striking out all that part of section one of the bill beginning with the word "delegate" after the word "electors" on line seven and one-half of section one of the printed bill and ending with the word "convention" on line eight thereof, and by adding section three thereto, as follows:

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in full force on and after the first day of October, 1917.

DAVIS, of Lake.

Mr. Vesey moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.  
The bill passed to engrossment.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read upon three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 77 be now read a third time and put upon its passage.

MCGONAGLE.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hoffman,

Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dynes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Kuhlman, Moore, Mushett, Osborn, Robertson, Westfall. Total, 22.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a third time in full.

Mr. Vesey moved the previous question, which motion was seconded by the majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the main question be now put?

Motion was carried.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel,

Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 68.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Cronin, Day, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Houghton, Kuhlman, Moore, Mushett, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Turner, Waltz, Westrick, Total, 24.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was ordered to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 676, by Mr. Day (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public accounting and reporting and supervision thereof, and providing penalties for violation of this act,' approved March 4, 1909," approved March 6, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

House Bill No. 677, by Mr. Harris:

A bill for an act making lawful the manufacture and possession within the State of Indiana and the sale without the State, and the transportation of spirit-

uous or vinous liquors in certain cases and providing for the licensing and regulation of such manufacture and sale of such liquors, being an act supplemental to an act approved February 9, 1917, entitled "An act prohibiting the manufacture, sale, gift, advertising or transportation of intoxicating liquors except for certain purposes and under certain conditions" repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 678, by Mr. Swain:

A bill for an act to authorize the governing body of any educational institution to which property shall have been heretofore conveyed by transfer, gift or delivery, and which shall have ceased to exist or operate, to convey such property to any other legally organized educational institution doing substantially the same work and affording substantially the same instruction as was contemplated by the original donors.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 679, by Mr. Mushett (by request):

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning legal holidays, the maturity of negotiable instruments, creating a Saturday half-holiday for banking institutions in certain cities, repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1895,' approved March 9, 1907," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

House Bill No. 680, by Mr. Mosier:

A bill for an act regulating the abolishment of townships or change in their boundary lines, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 681, by Mr. Swain:

A bill for an act to require mutual insurance companies to file with the auditor of state a list of their policy holders or members and providing penalties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bills Nos. 101, 4, 16, 168, 203, 239, 94, 27 and 248, together with Senate amendments thereto.

The House concurred in the Senate amendments.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 79, together with Senate amendments thereto.

Mr. Dilworth moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments and that a conference committee of three be appointed to further consider said amendments.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed as members of the committee, Messrs. Jinnett, Dilworth and Mendenhall.

Mr. Mosier offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the vote taken upon House Bill No. 437, February 21, 1917, be reconsidered.

MOSIER.

Mr. Day offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the Committee on Insurance be required to report out Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51 not later than 10 o'clock a. m. February 23, 1917.

DAY.

Mr. Geddes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table was lost.

Motion of Day prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 58, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Read, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 25.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 167, by Senator Kolsem, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 87.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Enrolled House Bills Nos. 107, 274, 263, 169, 291, 76, 147, 155, 196 and 222.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock, February 23, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY MORNING.

February 23, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. J. R. Ferguson, pastor of Hopewell Presbyterian Church, Franklin, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn,

Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 93.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Cravens, Haslanger, Hougham, Jameson, Read, Sambor. Total, 7.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Bartel, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 249 has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 88, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "said" before the word "prisoners" wherever it appears in the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "the" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 646, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the said bill do pass.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 675, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 156, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out section five and substitute the following:

Section 5. This act shall not apply to any person, co-partnership, or corporation doing business under any law of this State or of the United States relating to banks, trust companies, or building and loan associations, or to corporations organized under the laws of this State, which loan money at a rate not exceeding eight per cent. per annum, and which require the borrower to purchase certificates of investment equal in amount to the sum borrowed and to pay therefor in uniform weekly installments for not less than fifty weeks.

Also amend section two, line twenty-seven, by adding the following:

"Provided, however, That nothing herein shall preclude the allowance of a reasonable attorney fee, said fee, to be determined and allowed by the court, upon final judgment in foreclosure proceedings in a court of record," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 185, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 264, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 615, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 112, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 213, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Strike out in lines eighty-one to eighty-seven inclusive, of said bill the words "However, no publicity shall be given to any such matter, unless such examination discloses actual malfeasance on the part of said officer," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Soldiers Home, to which was referred House Bill No. 653, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SCOTT.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 580, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 670, has had the same under

consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 325, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 661, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 532, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 544, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be recommitted to your Committee on Ways and Means.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.



MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 304, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding at the end of line ten (10), section one (1) after the word "commission," "provided that either party thereto may submit the same to the said commission for its consideration and approval" and at the end of line three (3), section two (2) after the word "commission," "provided that either party thereto may submit the same to said commission for its consideration and approval," and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 665, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 656, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 574, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 498, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 476, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 641, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 605, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to

which was referred House Bill No. 604, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 258, being:

A bill for an act concerning eminent domain; granting the right to associations, corporations, towns, cities, townships, counties, the State of Indiana and the United States of America to condemn lands or other property or rights for public parks, prescribing a mode of procedure and permitting the transfer of any such lands or property for such use.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 257, being:

A bill for an act concerning voluntary associations.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 494, being:

A bill for an act concerning courts of limited jurisdiction, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 529, being:

A bill for an act relating to the improvement of streets, alleys, or other public places in cities of the first class; providing a method of assessment for the cost thereof and of street and alley intersections; the levying of taxes to pay and discharge certificates outstanding and unpaid issued by such cities in anticipation of the collection of assess-

ments for the payment of one-half of the cost of street and alley intersections; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 590, being:

A bill for an act providing for appeal from decisions of the State Board of Health of Indiana and prescribing certain procedure.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Grube offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 590, by inserting after the word "trustee" in section one, line six the words "board of school trustees, school commissioners" also, by inserting in line seven of section one, after the word "township" the words "town or city."

GRUBE.

Which was adopted and the bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 611, being:

A bill for an act supplementary to an act entitled "An act to authorize cities and towns to negotiate and sell bonds to procure means with which to erect and complete unfinished school buildings, and to purchase any ground and building for school purposes, and to pay debts contracted for such erection and completion, and the purchase of buildings and grounds, and authorizing the levying and collection of an additional special school tax for the payment of such bonds."

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Printed House Bill No. 611, by striking out the words "or may hereafter contract" in line three, section one of said bill.

McNAGNY.

The motion was adopted and the bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 627, being:

A bill for an act concerning descriptions of materials to be used in public improvement.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 617, being:

A bill for an act concerning the organization, management and discipline of the Indiana National Guard.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 628, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to enable and empower the boards of county commissioners in counties of this State, having a population according to the last preceding United States census, of 150,000 or more, to sell and dispose of the real estate set apart and dedicated by the State of Indiana to such counties as a seat of justice, or for court house purposes, providing for the method of disposing of said property by sale and the power to convey the same to purchaser or purchasers by good and sufficient deeds thereto and providing further for the keeping intact of said purchase money for the purpose of purchasing another site or sites and building thereon, providing for a special election, and establishing thereon a seat of justice or county court house, or to erect suitable buildings upon a portion of the present site or sites and dispose

by sale of the remainder and the conveyance thereof, by said board of county commissioners, and from the funds so derived from said sale or sales in erecting a building or buildings upon the remaining portion of the site, not disposed of by sale, as aforesaid, and providing also for the payment and redemption from the funds derived from said sale, of any outstanding bonds heretofore issued for the construction of any court house building or buildings thereon, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 12, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 638, being:

A bill for an act to provide a public record for the keeping of an account of the indebtedness of each of the municipal corporations and school corporations of this State, and constituting the same notice of the amount thereof to all purchasers or holders of bonds or other obligations issued by any of such corporations.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 639, being:

A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act concerning the annuities or benefits for teachers retired after specified years of service or for disability, and other matters in connection therewith and pertaining thereto, passed at the 69th regular session of the General Assembly of Indiana, being House Bill No. 345, and chapter, 182, of the acts of 1915, page 658, and which became a law without the signature of the governor on April 26, 1915, upon the proclamation of the governor, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 639, be amended as follows:

Strike out all of said bill after the colon in line three of section one, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

Section 3. The control and management of the Indiana state teachers' retirement fund shall be vested in a board of trustees to be known and designated as the board of trustees of the Indiana state teachers' retirement fund. Said board shall be composed of five (5) members designated and appointed as follows:

The state superintendent of public instruction of Indiana shall be ex-officio a member of said board. The remaining four (4) members shall be appointed by the governor of the state and shall be from different counties of the State, shall be persons engaged in teaching or in the supervision of teaching and persons who have come under the provisions of this act. The appointments of three (3) of these trustees by the governor shall be made upon the taking effect of this act; and one (1) member shall be appointed between the 1st and 15th day of June, 1918; all members shall be appointed for a period of three (3) years and shall serve until their successors are appointed and have qualified. Any vacancy in the board of trustees caused by death or resignation of any appointed member shall be filled by the governor for the unexpired term.

Section 2. Whereas an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act, therefore, it shall be in force from and after its passage.

HARKER.

The amendment was adopted and the bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

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House Bill No. 576, being:

A bill for an act concerning the sale and conveyances of lands by the State of Indiana and by the trustees of the Wabash & Erie Canal, and matters incident thereto, providing for the execution of deeds to purchasers of said lands, their heirs, assigns and grantees, in assurance of their title thereto and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 597, being:

A bill for an act concerning the registration of orphan, dependent, neglected, abandoned and destitute children and providing that a legally adopted child shall retain as a part of its name the surname of its natural father.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 597, by adding after the word "from" in line twelve, section two the word "time".

DYNES.

Which motion prevailed and the bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 453, being:

A bill for an act amending section four hundred and seventy-one (471) of "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, (Sec. 2372 Burns' Revised Statutes, 1914).

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Printed House Bill No. 453:

By striking out the word "to" in line eleven, section one of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the article "a";

By striking out the words "for the first offense" in said line eleven;

By striking out all of line fourteen in said section after the word "days" and all of lines fifteen, sixteen and seventeen.

McNAGNY.

Mr. Johnson of Grant moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

The amendment is adopted and with the bill is ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 616, being:

A bill for an act concerning the execution of conveyances of tracts, parcels and lots of land sold for the non-payment of special tax assessments in cities.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 131, 266; also Engrossed House Bills Nos. 107, 263, 291, 100, 274, 169, 76, 148, also, Engrossed House Bills Nos. 94, 101, 239, 225, 203, 168, 16 and 4 with amendments and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

House Bill No. 643, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 367 of an act entitled 'An act concerning proceedings in civil cases,' approved April 7, 1881" approved March 8, 1883, and legalizing certain divorces heretofore granted.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 647, being:

A bill for an act concerning the abandonment of township high schools.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harris offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 647, be amended as follows:

By striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That when any township high school, having an average daily attendance of less than thirty-five (35) for any year, is located within (2) miles of a high school having an average daily attendance of eighty (80) or more, maintained within any incorporated city or town, in such township, such township high school shall be abandoned."

HARRIS.

The motion was adopted.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 516, being:

A bill for an act to regulate the adoption and sale of textbooks and to provide optional high school texts.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Bartel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 516, as follows:

That all of lines four and five of section three be stricken out and the following be inserted in lieu thereof: "fifteen per cent (15%) advance on the

net price as so listed, the publisher or manufacturer to pay all transportation charges."

BARTEL.

The motion of Mr. Bartel was not adopted.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 516, be amended as follows:

By adding section five and one-half following: Section five as follows: "In so far as this applies to high school textbooks, the use of the state list as adopted by the state board of school book commissioners shall be optional with school boards of cities having a population of 5,000 inhabitants or more."

MILLER.

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous question which was seconded by a majority of the House.

Which question prevailed.

The amendment is not adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 79, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act in regard to the reporting of investigations made and direct aid granted by township trustees and by persons, corporations, organizations and associations, who publicly solicit and distribute funds and other forms of aid for the relief, maintenance and support of children and of indigent and sick dependent persons.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 79, as follows:

Strike out in section three, lines three, four and five the words "such reports or persons investigated and such weekly reports of all direct aid granted as provided above" and insert in lieu thereof the words "any report required in this act."

HARKER.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 123, by Senator McConaha:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled 'An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict' approved March 11, 1907," approved March 3, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 151, by Senator Wolfson:

A bill for an act to provide for the organization of corporations for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires and of saving property and life from conflagration.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Geddes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 151, by inserting after the comma after the word "conflagration" in line six of section one the following "in cities having a population of two hundred thousand or more according to the last preceding United States census."

GEDDES.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 17, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act providing for temporary loans in certain cases by the board of school trustees or other proper authorities of any school town or school city.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 29, by Senator English:

A bill for an act changing the name of Monument Place to Monument Circle.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 107, by Senator Van Auker:

A bill for an act concerning the descent of property.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 114, by Senator Summers:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act approved May 12th, 1869, entitled "An act to provide for the organization of savings banks, and the safe and proper management of its affairs," and amended by an act approved March 7th, 1873, entitled "An act to amend the fifteenth, nineteenth, thirty-first and forty-ninth sections of an act approved May 12, 1869, entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of savings banks, and the safe and proper management of its affairs, and declaring an emergency,

approved March 3, 1893," approved March 7, 1903, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 136, by Senator Fleming:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the cutting down and destroying of briars, thistles, burrs, docks, willows, sumac and other noxious weeds by owners of lands along public highways."

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 136, as follows:

By inserting after the word "Indiana" and before the word "that" in line two of section one, the following, "That section one of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows: Section 1."

By inserting after the words "Sec. 2" in line one of section two the following: "That section two of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. By inserting after the words "Sec. 3" in line one of section three the following: "That section three of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows, Section 3.

By adding to said bill a new section numbered section four which shall read as follows: That section four of the above entitled act be, and the same is hereby repealed.

HARKER.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 161, by Senator Dorrell:

A bill for an act to promote the detection of poultry thieves by regulating dealing in poultry, and providing a penalty.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 198, by Senator Bracken:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to create a state charter board for the purpose of making a careful examination into the financial standing, and character of the organizers and incorporators or partners; also for the public necessity of the business in the community in which it is sought to establish a bank of discount and deposit, savings bank, or loan, trust or safe deposit company, and if the board shall determine either of the questions unfavorably to said applicants, organizers, or partners, it shall refuse said charter, and declaring an emergency," approved March 9, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 166, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to regulate the sale of tickets for transportation to and from foreign countries and the business of receiving and transmitting money in connection therewith, and providing penalties.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 221, by Senator Reser:

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of bailiffs in any criminal, circuit or superior court in the State of Indiana; to fix their compensation, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 234, by Senator Fleming:

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act concerning drainage and repealing laws in conflict." approved March 11, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 635, being:

A bill for an act concerning the construction and maintenance of hospitals by cities of the fifth class acting jointly with the churches and lodges and other such organizations in such city.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 406, being:

A bill for an act providing a method of constructing township roads.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Mason offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 406, as follows:

In section seven, line ten, after the word "salary" and before the word "for" insert the words "the same to be fixed by said commissioners."

Also in section seven, at the end of line twelve, insert the words "county road superintendent or county."

Also in section seven, in line thirteen, after the word "surveyor" and before the word "and" the following words: "as decided by said commissioners."

MASON.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Jinnett offered the following motion:



MR. SPEAKER:

I move that section— of House Bill No. 406, be entirely stricken out.

JINNETT.

Mr. McGonagle moved the previous question on Jinnett's amendment.

Mr. Jinnett's amendment is adopted.

Mr. Walker moved that further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Mason moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. Harmon moved to strike out the enacting clause.

Mr. Mason moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table was lost.

Mr. Harmon's motion prevailed and the enacting clause is thereby stricken out.

House Bill No. 402, being:

A bill for an act concerning the qualifications of superintendents of schools in towns and cities.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Yoder offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 402, be amended as follows:

By striking out the semi-colon following the word "school" in line five, section one and inserting in lieu thereof, a comma, and by inserting after said comma the following words: "Or any college or normal school whose credits are duly recognized and accepted by a standard college or standard normal school as the equivalent of the credits

of such standard college or normal school."

YODER.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 523, being:

An act supplemental to an act concerning labor, and providing means for protecting the liberty, safety and health of laborers, providing for its enforcement by creating a department of inspection, and making an appropriation therefor, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, approved March 2, 1899.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 610, being:

A bill for an act providing for the payment of sheriffs of county for services to counties outside their jurisdiction.

The bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

House Bill No. 626, being:

A bill for an act providing for the registration of persons afflicted with gonorrhea and acquired syphilis, prohibiting the issuance of marriage licenses to such persons, prohibiting advertising, soliciting and exhibitions concerned with venereal diseases, providing a penalty for transmission of venereal diseases, and granting certain powers and duties to the State board of health.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 626, by inserting after the word "prescribed" in line seven of section one the words "and supplied."

Also by striking out all of line eight of section one after the word "health" and all of line nine preceding the colon and the word "Provided."

Also by striking out the word and figures "thousand" and "\$1,000" where they occur in line twelve of section two and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hundred" and figures "\$100."

Also by striking out the word "thousand" where it occurs at the end of line twelve and the beginning of line thirteen and the figures "(5,000)" where they occur in line thirteen of section two and inserting in lieu thereof the word "hundred" and the figures "(500)."

Also by striking out the word and figure "two (2)" and the word and figure "fourteen (14)" where they occur in line fourteen of section two and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figure "one (1)" and the word and figure "three (3)" respectively.

By striking out the period after the word "act" in line four of section five and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "and any violation of such rules shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50)."

DYNES.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill, with the amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 629, being:

A bill for an act appropriating to the trustees of Indiana University, three hundred fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting and equipping a building on the ground adjacent to the Robert W. Long Hospital, for the use of the Indiana University School of Medicine, and authorizing the transfer of the use of certain real estate to the State of Indiana.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Harmon offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 629, be amended by adding at the end of section one the following:

Provided, That the money appropriated by this act shall not be available until the board of trustees of said Indiana University shall file with the governor of the State a written release releasing all claims which said university may have for money due and to become due it by virtue of the provisions of section two of the act entitled, "An act to amend sections nine and ten and the title of said act, of an act entitled "An act for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital in Marion county, Indiana, in connection with the Indiana University School of Medicine, providing for accepting donations, sale of real estate and for the control and management thereof, and providing for a method of conveyance of real estate and making an appropriation therefor and declaring an emergency" approved February 7, 1911," approved March 6, 1913.

HARMON.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 629, by inserting in line seven of section one after the word "medicine" the following, to-wit: "and erecting and equipping a power house and laundry for the joint use of said hospital and said school of medicine."

MCGONAGLE.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendments, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 649, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections six (6), nine (9), ten (10) and eleven (11) of an act entitled "An act concerning common schools in cities having more than one hundred thousand population providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1899, and also to amend section three (3) of an act amendatory of sections eighteen (18), twenty-three (23) and section five (5) of the act last named, said amendatory act being entitled "An act to amend sections eighteen (18) and twenty-three (23) of an act entitled 'An act concerning common schools in cities having more than one hundred thousand population, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 4, 1899, and also to amend section one of an act amendatory of section five (5) of the act last named, said amendatory act being entitled 'An act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled an act concerning common schools in cities having more than one hundred thousand population, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, and declaring an emergency, approved March 4, 1899, and declaring an emergency, approved March 12, 1901, and declaring an emergency, approved March 4, 1905, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1911.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 262, by Senators Reidelbach and Smith:

A bill for an act concerning the cleaning and repair of dredge ditches, and repealing sections one to seventy-one, both inclusive, of an act concerning the organization of drainage, sanitary and reclamation districts and prescribing

their powers and duties, and section one to thirty-seven, both inclusive, of an act concerning the maintenance, repair, improvement and betterment of ditches and drains, approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Miller of Howard, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

February 23, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42, by Senator Dobyne:

Which was read a third time in full

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robert-

son, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Burt, Cravens, Curry, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Haslanger, Hepler, Turner, Walker, Waltz. Total, 14.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 568, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddies, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz,

Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 86.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 514, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Miles, Vesey, Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 485, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Dynes, Green, Hoffman, Johnson of Grant, McGonagle, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Myers, Read, Robertson, Scott, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Westfall, Williams, Wright of Clay. Total, 22.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Burtt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sipe, Tucker, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 59.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 591, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Day, Eisterhold. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 473, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 473, be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by:

(1) Striking out the word "as" in line five, section one, of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a".

(2) By striking out the word "a" in line fourteen, section one of said bill and by adding the letter "s" to the word "member" in line fourteen, section one of said bill.

(3) By striking out the word "an" in line one, section four of said act.

(4) By adding the letters "ly" to the word "annual" in line one, section four.

(5) By inserting the words, "the same" after the word "annual" and before the word "salary" in line one, section four.

(6) By striking out the word "of" in line one, section four and insert in lieu thereof the word "as".

(7) In line one, section six strike out the comma (,) and insert in lieu the word "and".

SIFE.

Which motion to recommit was adopted.

Mr. Kuhlman offered the following report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 473, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and that said bill has been amended by:

Striking out the word "as" in line five, section one of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the word "a".

By striking out the word "a" in line fourteen, section one of said bill and by adding the letter "s" to the word "mem-

ber" in line fourteen, section one of said bill.

By striking out the word "an" in line one, section four of said act.

By adding the letters "ly" to the word "annual" in line one, section four.

By inserting the words "the same" after the word "annual" and before the word "salary" in line one, section four.

By striking out the word "of" in line one, section four and inserting in lieu thereof the word "as".

In line one, section six strike out the comma (,) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and".

KUHLMAN.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 71.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Cravens, Curry, Eisterhold. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was ordered to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 310, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Westfall offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the title of House Bill No. 310, be amended to read as follows:

A bill for an act to amend section 697 of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith.

WESTFALL.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 577, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 520, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 82.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 561, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.



The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 549, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hessong, Hoffman, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kimmel, Krieg, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 56.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Cravens, Curry, Dilworth, Eisterhold, Gorski, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Mushett, Osborn, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Westfall, Yoder. Total, 29.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 244, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Gorski, Turner, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 510, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Read offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to refer Engrossed House Bill No. 510, to a special committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows, to-wit:

By striking out all of line fourteen following the word "and" and all of line

fifteen and all of line sixteen and the first two words in line seventeen, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "such teachers shall receive their regular salary for such legal holidays when any one of said legal holidays shall occur on any one of the five (5) days of the week during which such school would otherwise regularly have been in session, the same as if such school had been in session on such legal holiday."

Also by striking out the following:

Beginning with the word "the" after the word "Thanksgiving" in line six, section one "The 12th day of February commonly called Lincoln's Birthday; the 22nd day of February commonly called Washington's Birthday."

Also by striking out the words "the 12th day of October commonly called Discovery Day" following the word "day" in line eleven of said section one.

READ.

Mr. Turner moves to lay the motion on the table.

The motion is lost.

The motion of Mr. Read is lost.

Mr. Yoder makes the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the motion to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 510, be reconsidered.

YODER.

Which motion prevails.

The motion of Mr. Read prevails.

The committee of one makes the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 510, begs leave to report that he has amended the same as follows, to-wit:

By striking out all of line fourteen

following the word "and" and all of line fifteen and all of line sixteen and the first two words in line seventeen, and inserting in lieu thereof the following "such teachers shall receive their regular salary for such legal holidays when any one of said legal holidays shall occur on any one of the five (5) days of the week during which such school would otherwise regularly have been in session, the same as if such school had been in session on such legal holiday."

Also by striking out the following:

Beginning with the word "the" after the word "Thanksgiving" in line six, section one "The 12th day of February, commonly called Lincoln's Birthday; The 22nd day of February, commonly called Washington's Birthday."

Also by striking out the words "the 12th day of October, commonly called Discovery Day, following the word "day" in line eleven of said section one.

YODER.

Which report was adopted and the amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Bartel, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Dynes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 49.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Grube, Harmon, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Overmyer, Robertson, Southard, Tucker, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 37.

The bill failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 245, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtz, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Turner, Waltz, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Governor.

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF THE SEVENTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House Enrolled Bills Nos. 80, 125, 133, 192 and 240, and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

Indianapolis,  
February 23, 1917.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 368, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burtz, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren,

Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Dynes, Kuhlman, Sipe, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 547, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Arby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, West-

rick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Jinnett. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the title of House Bill No. 547, be amended by striking out in line one of the title thereof the quotation marks before the second "an" therein.

SIFE.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bonham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the title to House Bill No. 547, be amended by adding thereto the following "And declaring an emergency."

BONHAM.

Which amendment was adopted.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message to the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 2, 18, 44, 222, 229, 327; also Engrossed Concurrent Resolution No. 1 has been adopted, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Harker offers the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to reconsider the vote by which the House concurred in the report of the Committee on Judiciary B, indefinitely postponing House Bill No. 325.

HARKER.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the House concur in the report of the Committee.

House does not concur.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to which was referred Engrossed House Bills Nos. 569, 609, 567, 555, 520, 596, 557, 255, 244, 577, 589, 562, 608, 586, 176, 90, 503, 434, 517, 591, 468, 345, 485; Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 98, 91, 23, 15; Engrossed House Bills Nos. 373, 573, 514, 310, and 647, begs leave to report that it has compared the Engrossed bill with the original House Engrossed Bill and finds said bill correctly Engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT.

Which report was adopted.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Engrossed House Bills Nos. 94, 148, 194, 301, 27, 239, begs leave to report that it has compared each enrolled bill with the original House Bill and finds each of the bills correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON.

Which report was adopted.

Message to the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 435, and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2, by Senator English:

A bill for an act to provide a method of voting at general, special and primary elections by qualified voters, who by reason of illness, the nature of their business or other cause are unavoidably absent from the polls or the county of their residence on election day.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Elections.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222, by Senator Beardsley:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act fixing the salaries of judges of the circuit and superior courts of this state, and when the same shall be paid, and providing in what manner the judges in counties containing cities of a certain population, such salaries may be increased, and how and when such increase shall be paid, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1893,' and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1895, and declaring an emergency, approved February 24, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 435, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred and thirty-two (632) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings

in civil cases" approved April 7, 1188, (same being section 679 of Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes, Revision of 1914) and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary; B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 229, by Senator Erskine:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the incorporation of banks of discount and deposit in the State of Indiana," approved February 7, 1873, being section 3329 of Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes, Revision of 1914; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Banks.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 327, by Senator Bird:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section eight of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 595, 596, 598, 599, 602, 607, 609 and 611, and repealing section 600 of an act entitled an act concerning public offenses, approved March 10, 1905, of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved Mar. 10, 1905, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith,' approved March 9, 1907, and providing for the distribution and use of the funds accruing," approved March 6, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 44, by Senator English:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1) and two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections one (1) and six (6) of 'An act to establish a state board of forestry, defining its powers and

duties, and creating a state forester and secretary of said board and fixing the amount of his salary and allowance for his expenses' H. 192 approved March 1, 1901, the same being sections 6628 K and 6628 P of Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes, Revision 1901, and declaring an emergency," S 34 approved February 28, 1903, the same being sections 7450 and 7455 of Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes, Revision 1914.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 18, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend section twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30) and fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees. To establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of employment. To provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

By unanimous consent, the Committee on County and Township Business reports on House Bill No. 484.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 484, has had the

same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

House concurs in the report.

The House concurred in Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, which was handed down by the Speaker.

The Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote of the House.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 225, with Senate amendments.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do not concur in Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 225, and a committee of three be selected by the Speaker of the House as a conference committee and that the Senate be requested to appoint a like committee to consider said amendments and report thereon their doings.

MILLER of Howard.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Miller of Howard, Swain and McClaskey members of the Conference Committee.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Enrolled Bills Nos. 239, 27, 301, 194, 148 and 94.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, February 24, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## SATURDAY MORNING.

February 24, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Mr. Storms of Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Veeey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 90.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Buller, Cravens, Day, Eikenberry, Hougham, Johnson of Grant, Ryan, Sambor, Tucker. Total, 10.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, February 23rd to be read.

On motion of Mr. Wood, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 662, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 336, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 271, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 652, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to

which was referred House Bill No. 526, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 397, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill be recommitted to your Committee on Fees and Salaries.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 227, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 265, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out the word and figure six in line five, section four, and the word "months" in line six, and inserting in lieu thereof the following words "Two (2) years."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to



which was referred House Bill No. 571, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out that part of section two down to and including the word "Provided" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 395, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 671, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 435, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line three, section two the word "action" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "act" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Engrossed Senate

Bill No. 222, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in line thirty-four, section one after the word "thereupon" the words immediately following in said line, also line thirty-five, thirty-six and thirty-seven, and inserting the following "In no event in excess of the sum specified in such petition, but in no event in excess of the sum of \$1,500." And when so amended that said bill do pass.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 600, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MCGONAGLE,  
DURHAM,  
HARTKE,  
MCNAGNY,  
DILWORTH,  
KIMMEL,  
HARKER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 600, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

GENTRY,  
BULLER,  
SIPE,  
WILLIAMS.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was lost and the minority report of the committee was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No 678, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

McGONAGLE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 210, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McGONAGLE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Swamp Lands, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 159, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

OVERMYER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 424, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 82, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 110, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 659, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 412, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 603, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HOUGHTON,  
Acting Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 283, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 130, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

The majority of your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 155, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass after the following amendments have been made:

That section one be amended as follows:

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That section eighteen (18) of the first above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 18. The township advisory board, on an estimate made by the township trustee, shall levy annually on or before the first Tuesday in September, a road tax of not more than thirty cents on one hundred dollars (\$100) to be levied according to the amount of real and personal property owned in such township, outside of the corporate cities and towns subject to taxation for road purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected, except all road taxes are to be collected with the first yearly installment of taxes: Provided, That the township trustee may, with the consent of the township advisory board, levy an additional tax, not to exceed ten cents on one hundred dollars valuation, to be paid into the county treasury with the first installment of taxes and to be paid by the treasurer to the township trustee, to be expended for the construction and repair of bridges and culverts and for other road purposes. All taxes so assessed on real or personal property shall be paid into the county treasury in cash, as other taxes are paid, and shall be paid by the county treasurer to the township trustee, to be expended for the construction and repair of roads and bridges within his jurisdiction: Provided, That the advisory board on an estimate made by the township trustee shall on or before the first Tuesday in June, 1917, levy a special road tax of not to exceed fifteen cents (15c) on the one hundred dollars (\$100) which may be worked out within the year of 1917 in the manner heretofore provided by law and any part which shall not have been worked out as heretofore provided by law, shall be collected by the county treasurer with the first installment of taxes in 1918 and paid to the township trustee by the county treasurer, to be expended for the construction and repair of roads and bridges within his jurisdiction.

That section six be amended as follows:

Section 6. With the exception noted in section four (4) of this act, all provisions contained in this act, because of the emergency which exists, shall be construed to apply to the current year and shall be in full force and effect from and after the first day of April, 1917.

MENDENHALL,  
MASON,  
MOORE,  
OVERMYER,  
DUFFEY,  
BAYER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 155, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

GREEN,  
MILLER,  
LAFUZE,  
DOUGLAS,  
HARTKE,  
O'LEARY.

Mr. Harmon moves to make the bill a special order for 10 o'clock Tuesday.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Drains and Dikes, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 286, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

WOOD.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, etc., to which was referred House Bill No. 669, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the

recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

READ.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Telephones and Telegraph, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KUHLMAN.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND,  
McCLASKEY,  
EISTERHOLD,  
MUSHETT,  
DILWORTH  
McNAGNY,  
BEHMER,  
McGONAGLE,  
WILLIAMS,  
HOUGHTON.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KRIEG,  
WALKER,  
HARKER.

Mr. Durham moves the previous question, which was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Natural Resources, to which was referred House Bill No. 426, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of section two, line twenty-three the following:

"The sum of five dollars (\$5) per thousand cubic."

By striking out all of lines twenty-four and twenty-five of said section, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"An amount per cubic yard, to be fixed by the conservation commission, provided, however, that the commission shall have the authority to change or alter said price at any time."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

COGGINS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 218, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the said bill back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by striking out all after the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person to vote at any general

election held in this state unless such person be at the time a registered voter under the requirements of this act.

Sec. 2. The expense of registration and preparation therefor, as provided for herein, shall be paid out of the county treasury by the board of county commissioners as election expenses are paid; and the county council shall, in due season, make the necessary appropriations therefor.

Sec. 3. Every order of a board of county commissioners in any county in this state establishing, changing, or dividing election precincts in such county shall be made not later than their January session in any year in which will occur a general election held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November. The precincts shall remain throughout the year as they are established at such January session, or previously. The notice required by law of the establishment of precincts or changes of boundary shall be given immediately after such January session, if it has not been previously given.

Sec. 4. In each county of the state, the clerk of the circuit court and two (2) qualified electors by him appointed, one (1) from each of the two (2) political parties that cast the largest number of votes for the office of secretary of state in such county at the last preceding general election, shall constitute a county board of registration commissioners, hereinafter called the registration board. Such registration board shall also serve and perform the duties of the county board of primary election commissioners and also the duties of the county board of election commissioners, as provided for by law. The appointments of said two (2) qualified electors to the registration board shall be made on the first Tuesday in the month of January in each year in which a general election is held, and if, prior to that

time, the chairman of the county central committee of either party that cast the largest number of votes for the office of secretary of state in such county at the last preceding general election shall nominate in writing a qualified elector of his own party residing in such county for such appointment, the said clerk of the circuit court shall appoint such nominee. In case of death or disability of either appointee the said clerk of the circuit court shall notify the chairman of the said county central committee of such appointee's political party, and such chairman may, within three (3) days thereafter, recommend a successor, who shall thereupon be appointed: Provided, that if such chairman shall fail to make nomination of appointment within the time specified, the said clerk of the circuit court shall make such appointment of his own selection from such political party. The clerk of the circuit court shall act as the clerk of said registration board, and one (1) of the other two (2) members shall be elected president of said registration board. Each member of such registration board, excepting the clerk, shall receive such compensation for their services as the law provides shall be paid to members of the county board of election commissioners.

Sec. 5. On the third Monday in March in each calendar year in which will occur in this state a general election, held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, there shall be appointed by the registration board a chief clerk of registration and a deputy clerk of registration, whose duties are as hereinafter prescribed: Provided, however, that if prior to the said third Monday in the month of March the chairman of the county central committee of the party that cast the largest number of votes in such county at the last preceding general election for the office of secre-

tary of state shall nominate in writing a member of his own party for chief clerk of registration, and file said written nomination with the clerk of the circuit court, the said registration board shall appoint such nominee chief clerk of registration; and provided, further, that if prior to the said third Monday in the month of March the chairman of the county central committee of the party that cast the second highest number of votes in such county at the last preceding general election for said office of secretary of state shall nominate in writing a member of his own party for deputy clerk of registration, and file said written nomination with the said clerk of the circuit court, the said registration board shall appoint such nominee deputy clerk of registration. In case of death, resignation or disability of either appointee the said registration board shall notify the chairman of the said county central committee of such appointee's political party, and such chairman may, within three (3) days thereafter, recommend a successor, who shall thereupon be appointed. In the event either chairman shall fail to make a nomination in writing within the time specified of a chief clerk or deputy clerk of registration, respectively, the said registration board shall make such appointment of its own selection from the proper political party as indicated above. The compensation of said chief clerk and deputy clerk of registration shall be fixed by the said board of registration, but each said clerk shall receive the same pay, which in no event shall exceed five dollars (\$5) per day to each said clerk.

Sec. 6. The registration board of each county shall employ such other assistant clerks as in its judgment may be deemed necessary to promptly perform the duties herein provided for in connection with the registration of voters: Provided, that not more

than one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the clerks employed upon such work shall be members of the same political party; and such assistant clerks shall be paid for their services a reasonable compensation to be fixed by said registration board, not however, to exceed the sum of three dollars (\$3) per day to each said assistant clerk for the time actually employed upon such work.

Sec. 7. The board of county commissioners of each county shall provide a suitable room or rooms in the court house, equipped with chairs and suitable furniture, for the use of the said registration board and its clerks in which the registration of voters may be made, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 8. The clerk of the circuit court of each county shall make, or cause to be made on or before the last Thursday in the month of March in any year in which will occur a general election at least two (2) blanks forms of registration books for each precinct in his county. Each registration book shall be covered with tag, have proper caption, with blanks to adjust it to any precinct, and shall be ruled in eleven (11) columns, headed, respectively: number; date when filed; name; residence; where born; age; when came to the United States; when and where naturalized; when and where declared intention; where resided since October last; remarks; and shall contain a sufficient number of leaves to allow for registration of all voters in a precinct, with the memoranda required to be made after the names as elsewhere provided by this act, and also for an alphabetical index at the back of the book of the names registered, with a reference to their numbers, respectively. Such clerk shall also make and supply or cause to be made and supplied on or before said last Thursday in the month of March a sufficient number of blank applications for registration, and blanks upon which

to make copies of registration applications, and such other necessary stationery and supplies as may be necessary to secure the registration of voters as provided for in this act. Said blank registration books, blank registration applications, blanks upon which to make copies of registration applications, and such other necessary stationery and supplies as may be necessary to secure the registration of voters shall by the clerk be delivered to the registration board in the room or rooms to be provided for said board by the board of county commissioners on or before the first Monday in the month of April in each year in which a general election is held.

Sec. 9. The registration board shall commence its session in the room or rooms to be provided for it by the board of county commissioners, to receive and record applications for registration, and to perform other duties imposed upon it by this act, or by law, on the second Monday in the month of April in each year in which will occur a general election, at 8 o'clock a. m., and shall remain in session to receive and record applications for registration until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, and between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. on each day thereafter, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, until Monday, the 29th day before the election, which last named day shall be the last day on which a voter may register as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 10. The clerk of the county shall give ten (10) days' notice of the time and place of the session of said registration board, by one (1) publication in a newspaper of general circulation of each of the two (2) political parties which cast for the office of secretary of state the highest vote respectively in the county at the last preceding general election, printed and published in the county, if such there be. Said clerk shall, ten (10) days

before the session of said registration board begins, cause to be printed in large type in the English language a sufficient number of notices concerning the registration of voters, and shall post the same in at least five (5) public places in each township in the county, or cause them to be so posted. Said printed notices shall have for caption: "Important notice to voters of registration," and in the body of the notice the following shall be stated: "Every voter of the county is required to register between the.....day of April, 19... and the.....day of October, 19..., Sundays and legal holidays excepted, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m., at room or rooms.....in the court house in..... county, Indiana, by filing with the registration board a proper written or printed application for registration, or by causing a proper written or printed application for registration to be filed with said registration board by some legal voter of the county, or by sending to said registration board by mail in a properly addressed, stamped and sealed envelope, a proper written or printed application for registration, or by delivering a proper written or printed application for registration to the inspector of the primary election at the place and on the day the primary election is held in the precinct in which you reside, all as provided for in the registration law. If the voter mails his registration application, he shall address the envelope in which he mails his application substantially as follows: "County Board of Registration-Commissioners, Court House,....., (Name of County Seat)

Indiana." If any voter fails to so register he can not vote.

In addition to the posting of said notices by the county clerk, as aforesaid, any person or political organization may at any time cause similar notices to be printed and posted throughout the county.

Sec. 11. The chief clerk of registration and the deputy clerk of registration shall have charge of the registration room or rooms and the registration of all voters, under the supervision, however, of the board of registration, to whose direction and orders they shall at all times be subject. All assistant clerks employed by the registration board shall work under the direction and orders of the registration board and the chief and deputy clerk of registration. The chief clerk of registration, the deputy clerk of registration and each assistant clerk employed to assist in the registration of voters shall each take an oath before the clerk of the circuit court before entering upon his duties to support the constitution of the United States and of the State of Indiana, and to faithfully and honestly discharge his or her duties as prescribed by law, which oath shall be in writing and filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court and preserved by him for not less than two (2) years from the date it was made.

Sec. 12. At the session of the registration board every person, who at the time resides in the precinct in which he applies for registration, and who will be of the age of twenty-one (21) years or upward at the next ensuing November election, and is a citizen of the United States, or if not a citizen of the United States has declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, and who, if he continues to reside in the precinct until the next following November election, will at that time have resided in the State of Indiana during the six (6) months and in the United States during the one (1) year immediately preceding such election, and who shall have resided in the township sixty (60) days and in the ward or precinct thirty (30) days before such election, if he continues to reside in such precinct until such election, shall upon proper application, be entitled to be registered in such pre-



cinct. No other person or persons shall be entitled to be so registered. Nothing in this act shall be construed as qualifying or attempting to qualify any person to vote at any election even though registered, who would not be so qualified if there were no registration act in force in this state: the purpose of this act being to provide for and require registration in addition to the requirements of the election laws and the constitution of the State of Indiana.

Sec. 13. Before any person's name shall be entered on the registration books, he shall make or cause to be made in writing, or partly in writing and partly in print, in the English language, an application showing the following: His full name, the county, city or town, or township in which he resides; if he knows, he shall state the name or number of the precinct, ward or township in which he resides; he shall state where he resided in the last two (2) years; where he was born and date of his birth; whether he registered before in the year in any county in Indiana, and if so, give the name of the precinct, ward, city or town, township and county he lived in at the time he so registered; if he resides in a city or town, the name of the street on which, and the number of the house in which he resides. If the street on which he resides has no street numbers, he shall give the character of the house in which he resides, whether frame, brick or other material, one or more stories, on what street or alley, which side thereof and the nearest cross street between which it is situated. If he resides in the county, outside of a city or town, then he shall give the name of the township in which he resides; the name of the road and on which side of the road on which he resides; whether he owns the real estate on which he resides, and if not, then he shall give the name of the owner or reputed owner of the real estate; he shall give his residence, post-

office and rural route address; also of what material the house is built in which he resides, how many stories high it is, and the full name of his nearest neighbor. He shall also state, if he knows, the name or number of the precinct, ward or township in which he resides. He shall also state where he resided in the two (2) years prior to the making of his application for registration, where he was born, and the date, month and year he was born.

Sec. 14. In addition to the information required to be given in the registration application as specified in section thirteen (13) of this act, a foreign born person, who is not a naturalized citizen of the United States, but who has declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, shall state in his said application in what country he was born, when he arrived in the United States, when, and in what city and state he declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, and where he has resided in the year prior to the making of his application for registration.

Sec. 15. In addition to the information required to be given in the registration application as specified in section thirteen (13) of this act, a foreign born person, who has, on his own motion, become a naturalized citizen of the United States, shall state in his registration application, the date of his naturalization and the city and state where he was naturalized.

Sec. 16. In addition to the information required to be given in the registration application as specified in section thirteen (13) of this act, a foreign born person, who claims to be a citizen of the United States because, when he was a minor, his father became a naturalized citizen of the United States, he shall state in his registration application in what country he was born, the full name of his father; of what country was his father a native, when his father arrived and when he arrived in the

United States, when and in what city, town and state his father became naturalized.

Sec. 17. The following form of application, or its substance, shall be used in making application for registration:

### "FORM OF APPLICATION.

No. ...., Ind.,  
 ...., 191...I.....  
 (Give full name. Initials will not do).

of..... County, Indiana, hereby make application to be registered as a voter for the general election to be held on the..... day of....., 19...., and I certify my statements and answers to the questions herein are full, true and correct: If you know the name or number of the precinct in which you reside, then state name or number of precinct, city or town, ward or township

(Name or number of precinct).

(City or Town).

(Ward or Township)

Where have you resided in the last two (2) years?.....

Where were you born?.....

Give date, month and year you were born?.....

Have you registered before in this year, either in this county or any other county in Indiana?.....

If you have in this year registered before, in what precinct, ward, city or town, township and county did you live at the time you so registered?

Precinct.....;

Ward.....;

City or town.....;

Township.....;

County.....

When did you move to the place where

you now seek to register?.....

If the applicant resides in a city or town, then give:

(a) Name of city or town in which you reside.....

(b) Street and number of residence....

(Street).

(Number).

Note: If the street on which you reside has no street numbers, then give the character of the house, whether frame, brick or other material, one or more stories, on what street or alley, and on which side thereof and the nearest cross streets between which it is situated

If applicant resides in the county, outside of a city or town then

(a) Give name of township in which you reside.....

(b) Give name of road on which you reside.....

(c) State on what side of the road you reside.....

(d) Do you own the real estate on which you reside?.....

(e) If the real estate on which you reside is not owned by you, then give the name of the owner or reputed owner of the real estate.....

(f) Give your residence, post office and rural route address:.....

(g) Of what material is the house in which you reside?.....

(h) How many stories high is it?.....

(i) Give full name of your nearest

neighbor.....

If foreign born but not naturalized and you have declared your intention to become a citizen of the United States, then answer the following questions:

(a) In what country were you born?..

(b) When did you arrive in the United States?.....

(c) When and where did you declare your intentions of becoming a citizen of the United States?.....

(When)

(City)

(State)

(d) Where have you resided in the year last past?.....

From ....., 191...,  
to ....., 191..., at.....

From ....., 191...,  
to ....., 191..., at.....

From ....., 191...,  
to ....., 191..., at.....

and from ....., 191...,  
to the present time at the place where I now reside.

If foreign born and naturalized, state when and where you were naturalized under the laws of the United States; date of naturalization.....; where naturalized:.....;

(City or Town)

(State)

If foreign born, and you claim to be a citizen of the United States because of the naturalization of your father when you were a minor, then answer the following questions:

(a) In what country were you born?..

(b) Give full name of your father:..

(Give full name. Initials will not do).

(c) Your father was a native of what country?.....

(d) When did your father arrive in the United States?.....

(e) When did you arrive in the United States?.....

(f) In what city or town and state did your father become naturalized?....

(City or Town)

(State)

(g) When was your father naturalized?.....

(Applicant sign here.)

(Give full name. Initials will not do).

Note: If the applicant signs this application by his mark, or if the applicant sends this application to the registration board by messenger or by mail, or delivers it to the inspector of the primary election, then he must make oath or affirmation to the facts stated in his application before an officer authorized to administer an oath and having an official seal, as follows:

State of..... } ss.  
County of..... }

I,.....  
(Give full name. Initials will not do).

do solemnly swear, (or affirm as the case may be) that I am the identical person who signed or made his mark on the above and foregoing application; that I know the contents of said application, and that the answers and facts stated in said application are true, full and correct.

(Applicant sign here.).....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this .....day of..... 191....

My commission expires.....

(Give official title.)

(Seal.)

This application was entered by me in the registration books for.....precinct,.....ward or township,.....city or town, and.....county this.....day of....., 19....  
 .....  
 (Clerk)

# "CLERK'S RE-REGISTRATION ENDORSEMENT."

This application was entered by me in the registration books for.....precinct,.....ward or township,.....city or town, and.....county this.....day of....., 19....  
 The previous registration was made by the within named applicant while he lived in.....precinct,.....ward or township,.....city or town and.....county.  
 .....  
 (Clerk)

Sec. 18. Every application for registration shall be signed with the full name of the applicant in his own handwriting and in the English language, if he be able to write his name in the English language, and, if not, then in any language that he may be able to write. If he is not able to write in any language, he may procure some officer who is personally acquainted with him, who is authorized to administer oaths and who has an official seal, to write his full name for him, and the applicant shall make his mark, and shall take an oath or affirm before such officer that he is the identical person whose name appears on said application and who made his mark thereon, that he knows the contents of said application, and that the answers and facts stated in said application are true, full and correct. Said officer must indicate on said application what his

name is, and must affix his official seal thereon. The word "officer" as used herein, shall include a notary public.

Sec. 19. The voter may register in the following manner, to wit:

(a) By delivering in person his application for registration properly made out, signed and executed as aforesaid, to the board of registration during the hours said board is in session in the room or rooms in the court house occupied by said board in the county in which said voter lives and claims the right to vote; or

(b) By causing his application for registration properly made out, signed and executed as aforesaid to be delivered by a messenger to the board of registration during the hours said board is in session in the room or rooms in the court house occupied by said board in the county in which said voter lives and claims the right to vote: Provided, that in the event the application is sent to the board by a messenger, the applicant shall first make oath or affirmation before some officer authorized to administer oaths and who has an official seal, that he is the identical person who signed said application, or who made his mark thereon, that he knows the contents of said application, and that the answers and facts stated in said application are true, full and correct; or

(c) By mailing his application for registration properly made out, signed and executed to said registration board in a sealed and stamped envelope addressed to the county board of registration commissioners at the county seat in which said board is in session and in which county the voter lives and claims the right to vote, at any time during the session of said board: Provided, however, that if the application is sent by mail the applicant shall first make oath or affirmation before some officer authorized to administer oaths and who has an official seal, that

he is the identical person who signed said application, or who made his mark thereon, that he knows the contents of said application, and that the answers and facts stated in said application are true, full and correct; or

(d) By delivering his application properly made out and sworn to or affirmed, as aforesaid, to the inspector of the primary election board at the primary voting place in the precinct in which said applicant lives or claims the right to vote, on the day and during the hours said primary election board is sitting to receive votes cast to nominate candidates to be voted for at the next succeeding general election.

Sec. 20. The board of county commissioners of each county shall provide each precinct primary election board a suitable wooden box for the reception of all registration applications that may be filed with the inspector of such primary election board. Each box shall be equipped with a substantial lock and shall be labeled "For registration applications for..... precinct,..... city or town,..... ward or township,..... county." Each inspector shall properly fill the blank spaces of said label with the name or number of his precinct, the ward or township and county. An opening shall be made in the lid of each box sufficient only for the admission of a single registration application. Each registration application filed with said inspector, as provided for in subdivision (d) of section nineteen (19) of this act, must be examined by said inspector for the purpose of ascertaining if it is properly made, signed and verified, and if it is found to be properly made, signed and verified, said inspector shall deposit said application in the box for registration applications. The said box containing said registration applications and the key to said box shall be delivered by said inspector

to the registration board of his county at its room or rooms in the courthouse during the hours said registration board is in session, not later than twenty-four (24) hours after said inspector shall have completed his duties as a member of said primary election board as by law provided. The duties and obligations herein imposed on each inspector of the primary election board are in addition to those imposed by the primary election law.

Sec. 21. Immediately on receipt of each registration application by the registration board at its room or rooms in the court house, said board or one (1) of the clerks acting for it shall stamp on said application a file mark showing the day on which it was filed with said registration board. Said registration application shall by said registration board, or by one (1) of its clerks, be entered at once in the registration books of the precinct in which the applicant lives, and if the applicant fails to name in his application the precinct in which he lives, it shall be the duty of said registration board to ascertain at once in what precinct the applicant lives from the residence address given by said applicant in his application, and to enter said application in the proper registration books. In the event the applicant incorrectly names in his registration application the precinct in which he lives, and that fact appears from his residence address as given in his registration application, then it shall be the duty of said registration board to enter said applicant's registration in the registration books of the precinct in which he in fact lives, disregarding the incorrect name of the precinct given by said applicant in his application. In determining in what precinct the applicant lives, the residence address given by the applicant in his registration shall be controlling on the registration board. Each precinct in the county shall have two (2)

blank forms of registration books, and the tag on each registration book shall be properly filled out with the name of the precinct, ward or township, and county before any application is entered therein. Each registration application shall be entered by the registration board, or by one (1) of its clerks, in both registration books of the proper precinct by inserting in the various columns of each said registration book the data contained in said application as indicated by the heading of the columns. Each application in each precinct shall be numbered in regular order, and the number shall be entered in each registration book of the proper precinct in the proper line and column provided therefor and also written on the application. Immediately after each registration application is entered in the proper registration books and numbered, the clerk making said entry shall endorse on said application the name or number of the precinct, ward or township, and county in which said application was entered for registration, which endorsement shall be dated and signed by the clerk who entered said application in the registration books. The following form for said endorsement shall be used:

"This application was entered by me in the registration books for..... precinct,.....ward or township,.....city or town,.....county, this.....day of....., 19....  
.....  
Clerk."

Sec. 22. Two (2) exact copies of each registration application, including the number and endorsement thereon, shall be made at once by the registration board or by one (1) of its clerks, and one (1) copy shall be delivered immediately to the county chairman of the party casting the highest number of votes in the county, and the other copy shall be delivered imme-

diately to the county chairman of the party casting the next highest number of votes in the county for the office of secretary of state at the last preceding general election.

Sec. 23. All registration applications shall by the board of registration be kept separate as to precincts after they have been properly entered in the registration books.

Sec. 24. Any voter who has registered with the registration board, as hereinbefore provided for, and who has moved from the precinct in which he lived at the time he so registered to another precinct in the same county, in order to be entitled to vote at next succeeding general election, must file in one of the ways hereinbefore provided for with said registration board on any day while it is in session for the receipt of registration applications another registration application similar to the application hereinbefore provided for in this act, and in addition to the information and facts required to be stated therein, the applicant shall further state in his application in what precinct he lived at the time of his previous registration with said registration board, and also on what day, month and year he moved to the place where he seeks to be re-registered. Said registration application must be sworn to by the applicant before some officer authorized to administer oaths and who has an official seal. Said registration board, upon the receipt of said registration application, shall stamp and endorse on said application the time it was filed with said board, shall enter said application in the proper registration books of the precinct in which said applicant moved as other applications for registration are entered and shall indicate in said registration books in the column headed "remarks" the fact that the applicant had registered before in another precinct of the county and had removed to said precinct.

Thereupon the clerk shall endorse on said application the name of the precinct, ward or township and county in which said application was entered for registration, the name or number of the precinct, ward or township and county from which said applicant moved since his last registration, and the date when he so moved. The following form for said endorsement shall be used:

#### "REMOVAL REGISTRATION ENDORSEMENT.

This application was entered by me  
in the registration books for.....  
precinct,.....ward or  
township,.....city or  
town, and.....county,  
this.....day of....., 19 ..  
Applicant's previous registration was  
entered in the registration books for  
.....precinct,.....ward or  
township.....city or  
town, and.....county.  
....."

Copies of said registration application shall be made by said registration board and delivered to the county chairman of the political parties casting the highest and next highest vote, respectively, for the office of secretary of state in said county at the last preceding general election, in the same manner as copies of original applications for registration are made and delivered to said respective county chairman.

Said board of registration, or one of its clerks, shall also draw a red line through the name of any such applicant so removing and re-registering as it appears on the registration books of the precinct from which said applicant removed, and shall endorse in red ink in the column headed "remarks," opposite said applicant's name, the fact that said applicant removed from

said precinct, and state the date of said removal. The said board of registration, or one of its clerks, shall also stamp on said applicant's previous application for registration the fact that said applicant moved from the precinct in which he lived at the time he made said application for registration, and the date when and the precinct to which he moved, which said endorsement shall be dated and signed by the clerk making the same. Such previous application or applications for registration shall be preserved by said registration board among the other applications for registration of said precinct.

Sec. 25. No voter who has registered in any county of this state, and who removed after said registration to another county in this state, shall thereafter re-register in the county to which he moved without securing from the board of registration of the county in which he registered a copy of the record of his registration, duly certified under the hand and seal of the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which he was so registered, and presenting said certified copy of said registration to the registration board of the county to which he moved at the time he files with said last named registration board his written application for registration in the form as hereinbefore provided for in this act.

It shall be the duty of the registration board to furnish any voter free of cost a certified copy of the record of his registration, the same to be certified under the hand and seal of the clerk of the circuit court, upon the request of said voter, in writing, and duly verified by him before some officer authorized to administer oaths and having an official seal, that he has moved to another county, naming it, since he last registered. Said written request shall be in the following form:

**"REQUEST FOR CERTIFIED COPY  
OF REGISTRATION.**

I, ..... request  
(Give full name. Initials will not do.)  
the county board of registration com-  
missioners of ..... county,  
Indiana for a certified copy of the record  
of my registration in said county, and  
assert that I registered in said county  
from ..... precinct,  
..... ward, ..... city or  
town, ..... township; that at  
the time I so registered I resided at....  
.....

(State fully place of voter's former residence, giving  
city or town, street and number, or township, if you lived  
in county outside of city or town.)  
.....

that I moved on the ..... day of  
....., 19...., from said precinct  
and county to ..... county.  
Indiana, at .....

(State fully place you moved to, giving city or town,  
street and number, or township, if you moved to county  
outside of city or town.)  
.....

in which last named county I intend to  
register.

(Applicant sign here) .....  
(Give full name. Initials will not do.)

State of Indiana, ..... } ss.  
County of ..... }

I, .....  
(Give full name. Initials will not do.)

do solemnly swear (or affirm, as the case  
may be) that I am the identical person  
who signed (or made his mark on)  
the above and foregoing request, and  
that I know the contents of the above  
request and the facts stated therein  
are true, full and correct.

(Applicant sign here) .....  
(Give full name. Initials will not do.)

Subscribed and sworn to be fore me

this ..... day of .....  
19....

My commission expires.....

(Seal)

Said written request for a certified  
copy of registration may be delivered  
to the registration board at its room or  
rooms in the court house by the person  
signing it, or by some person acting for  
him, or it may be sent to said board by  
mail in a sealed and stamped envelope  
addressed to the county board of regis-  
tration commissioners at the county  
seat in which said board is in session  
or substantially so addressed. Imme-  
diately on receipt of said written re-  
quest, if properly made, signed and  
verified, said board or one of its clerks  
clerks shall stamp on it a file mark  
showing the day on which it was filed  
or received by said board.

The registration board shall deliver  
said certified copy of the record of said  
registration to the person making said  
request, or shall send the same to him  
by mail in a sealed envelope bearing  
the new address as given in said written  
request. It shall be the duty of the  
registration board of any county where  
a certified copy of the registration record  
of a voter, who has moved from the  
county, is requested, to cause a red  
line to be drawn through the name of  
said voter on the registration books of  
the precinct in which said voter is  
registered, and to write in red ink in the  
column headed "remarks," opposite  
the name of said voter, the fact that he  
removed from the county, the name of  
the county he moved to and the date  
of such removal. Said registration  
board shall stamp on said applicant's  
original application for registration the  
fact that the applicant removed from  
the county, the name of the county he  
moved to and the date of such removal.  
Said original application so endorsed,



together with said written request, which shall be securely fastened to it, shall be preserved with the other applications for registration in said precinct. The registration board shall thereupon make or cause to be made two (2) exact copies of each written request for a certified copy of registration, and one of said copies shall be delivered by said board to the county chairman of each of the political parties that cast the highest and next highest vote, respectively, in said county for the office of secretary of state.

Sec. 26. The registration board or its clerks, from time to time as applications for registration are filed with or received by said board and entered in the proper registration books, shall also enter in the back of said registration books, an alphabetical index of the names registered in said books, with a reference to their registration numbers respectively.

Sec. 27. No application for registration offered to or received by the registration board after five (5) o'clock p. m. on Monday, the twenty-ninth day before the election, or on any day thereafter, shall be filed by said board as a registration application, or entered in any of the registration books.

Sec. 28. As soon as possible after Monday, the twenty-ninth day before the election, each registration board, or its clerks, shall complete making entries of registration applications in the registration books and the alphabetical index in the back of each registration book, as hereinbefore provided, and when each registration application is so entered and said index made the registration board shall on each book, immediately below the last name registered, enter the following certificate, which shall be signed by each member of said registration board, and attested by the seal of the clerk of the circuit court for said county:

The above is a correct registration of all applications filed or received by the county board of registration commissioners, for.....precinct.....ward, in the city or town of.....township in the county of.....at a session held in the year 19...

Witness our hands and the seal of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, this.....day of October, 19...

.....  
Clerk of the Circuit Court of  
.....County.  
(Clerk's Seal.)

.....  
(Members of the County Board of Registration  
Commissioners.)  
For.....County."

Sec. 29. The words "voter", "applicant" and "elector" and the personal pronouns used in connection with the terms "voter", "applicant" or "elector" as used in this act shall mean any person, male or female, who shall, by any law of the state of Indiana, have the right to vote at any election. Any voter who shall have registered with the registration board as hereinbefore provided and whose name shall have been changed by marriage or divorce or court decree subsequent to such registration and prior to the date on which such election shall be held, in order to be entitled to vote at such election shall file with the election board, on the day of such election, and before receiving his or her ballot, a certified copy of the court decree or certificate of marriage which shall entitle such person to vote, if otherwise qualified, and shall be preserved by the election ward and returned to the clerk of the circuit court with the other papers returned by such board.

Sec. 30. The registration board, after all applications for registration have been entered in the registration

applications for registration and all written requests for certified copies of the record of registration, in a substantial envelope for each precinct, which said envelope shall be securely fastened and shall be endorsed with the name of the precinct, ward, city or town, township and county.

Sec. 31. Any voter of the county shall have the right, at all times up to the time said registration books and registration applications are delivered to the inspector of elections, as hereinafter provided, to examine in the presence of the clerk of the said registration board said registration books, and to examine any and all applications for registration.

Sec. 32. It shall be the duty of the clerk of the circuit court to deliver to each election inspector, or in case he cannot attend to some other member of the election board authorized in writing by the inspector, the proper registration books and registration applications, which shall be delivered to said election inspector or the said member of the election board authorized in writing by the inspector, at the same time that the packages of ballots are furnished him, as provided for in the general election laws of the state of Indiana.

Sec. 33. Each inspector of election shall, after the general election, deliver the registration books and registration applications for his precinct to the clerk of the circuit court, who shall keep such registration books and registration applications in his office in such place or receptacle that they will be secure for two (2) years. Said clerk shall, in any event, allow none of them to be taken from his office, except as provided in this act; but at least one (1) of the registration books, as well as the registration applications, shall be open to the inspection of the public, to be copied from as any other public record.

tration board, while in session, shall be a conservator of the peace, and shall have the right to arrest any person who creates any disturbance in or around the room of the board, or offers any interference with the work of the board or people appearing for the purpose of registration, or who violates any law of the state in the presence or hearing of the board, and he shall have the right to command bystanders to assist in making such arrest and in detaining such person until a warrant can be obtained for him.

Sec. 35. It shall be unlawful for any person who is not a voter, and who will not be a voter at the next ensuing general election, to apply for registration in this state, or to procure himself to be registered as a voter; and it shall be unlawful for any person to make any false statement in any application that he may present to the registration board for the purpose of procuring himself to be registered, and it shall be unlawful for him to present any application containing a false statement. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall, on conviction, be imprisoned not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years and fined in any sum not more than five hundred dollars (\$500), and disfranchised for any determinate period.

Sec. 36. It shall be unlawful for any person to subscribe the name of any other person to any application for registration. Any person convicted of violation of any provision of this section shall be imprisoned not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years, and fined in any sum not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500) and disfranchised for any determinate period.

Sec. 37. It shall be unlawful for any person other than a member of the said registration board or the employees of said board to enter a name on said

registration books. Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of this section shall be imprisoned not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years, and fined in any sum not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500) and disfranchised for any determinate period.

Sec. 38. It shall be unlawful for the chief clerk of registration or the deputy clerk of registration, or any assistant clerk employed by any registration board to wilfully neglect to perform any duty as provided for by this act, or do any act prohibited herein, for which punishment is not otherwise provided. Any such person convicted of such violation shall be deemed guilty of a felony and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than six (6) months nor more than three (3) years and fined in any sum not less than fifty dollars (\$50) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500), and be disfranchised and rendered ineligible for holding any office for any determinate period, not less than five (5) years.

Sec. 39. Any member of the registration board or any public officer, upon whom any duty is imposed by this act, who shall wilfully neglect to perform such duties, or do any act prohibited herein for which punishment is not otherwise provided, shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than six (6) months nor more than three (3) years, and by a fine of not less than fifty dollars (\$50) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500), and be disfranchised and rendered ineligible of holding any office for any determinate period not less than five (5) years.

Sec. 40. In addition to the grounds of challenge of a voter or proposed voter at the election, it shall, hereafter, be a ground of challenge that the person offering to vote is not registered. The person so challenged shall not be per-

mitted to vote until he makes and presents an affidavit that he is registered and that he is the identical person who is registered under the name under which he intends to vote. Upon such challenge, the election officers of the precinct shall inspect the application and the registration books, and if they be satisfied that the affidavit of such person is false, they shall order his arrest at once: Provided, that no person shall be allowed by the officers to vote at the election whose name is not registered, even though there be no challenge.

Sec. 41. In any election in any city of the first and second class of this state, there shall be required a registration of voters complying with the provisions of this act, except that in said city registration of voters, the city council shall perform the duties of the board of county commissioners and the city clerk shall perform the duties of the clerk of the circuit court, and all of the rights to nominate members of the city registration board and a chief clerk and deputy clerk of registration shall be exercised by the chairman of the city central committees of such political parties that cast the highest and next highest vote, respectively, in the county at the last preceding general election in which said city is located. The said officers shall be required to perform the various duties herein prescribed for county officers in whose stead they act, subject to the same penalties and provisions by this act prescribed as to such county officers. The place of registration shall be in the city building, or if there be no such city building, in the place where the city offices are located. The sessions of such city registration board shall commence on the first Monday in May of each year in which a city election is to be held, and shall continue until the twenty-ninth day before said city election.

Sec. 42. In each city of the first and

city clerk of such city, and two (2) qualified electors residing in said city, by him appointed, one from each of the two (2) political parties that cast the largest number of votes for the office of secretary of state in such county in which such city is located at the last preceding general election, shall constitute a city board of registration commissioners. Such city board of registration commissioners shall also serve and perform the duties required by law to be performed by the city board of primary election commissioners and also the duties of the city board of election commissioners, as provided for by law. All the provisions of this act with reference to the powers, duties, compensation and appointment of county board of registration commissioners shall apply to the city board of registration commissioners, excepting that the city chairman of the city central committees shall act in the place of the county chairman; and excepting further, that the appointment of the two (2) qualified electors to serve as members of the city board of election commissioners shall be made not later than the first Monday in the month of March in the year in which a city election will occur.

Sec. 43. Not later than the first Monday in April in each year in which a city registration is held, the city board of registration commissioners shall appoint a chief clerk of registration and deputy clerk of registration who shall be nominated and who shall perform the same duties and receive the same compensation and be subject to the same penalties as are provided for in this act with reference to the appointment of the chief clerk and deputy clerk of the county board of registration commissioners.

Sec. 44. The city council shall furnish each inspector of the city primary election board a suitable box in which

his precinct on the day the city primary is held and every voter residing in said city shall be entitled to register on the day the said city primary is held in the precinct in which he lives in the same manner as a voter may so register at the primary election held to nominate county candidates, as hereinbefore provided. The inspector of the city primary election board shall perform the same duties with reference to the registration of voters as the law provides shall be performed by the inspector of the county primary election board as hereinbefore provided. No voter shall vote in the city election unless he is registered.

Sec. 45. Each county board of registration commissioners and each city board of registration commissioners shall supply each chairman of a political party with such number of applications for registration and other blank forms as indicated in this act, as will meet, in the judgment of the said registration board, the requirements of said political parties. And in addition to said forms so to be furnished by said registration board, any political party or any person may print or cause to be printed registration applications and other blank forms as indicated in this act.

Sec. 46. The city shall appropriate for any defray the expenses of the said registration provided for in this act, in the same manner as it defrays the expenses of a city election.

Sec. 47. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed, especially the act of the Indiana general assembly, approved March 11, 1913, entitled "An act providing for the registration of voters, and matters connected therewith, and providing for penalties for the violation of certain provisions thereof repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, especially repealing

an act entitled 'An act providing for the registration of voters and matters connected therewith, approved March 4, 1911, and declaring an emergency,' " and all laws supplemental and amendatory thereto.

Sec. 48. Whereas an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker handed down for third reading, Engrossed House Bill No. 89, the same being a special order for 11 o'clock.

Mr. Harmon offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No 89, be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by striking out all of sections two and three thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 2. Every motor vehicle, or other vehicle, equipped with and using head-lights or front lights, as herein contemplated, shall be equipped with some efficient device or devices, whereby the rays of light projected forward by said head-lights or front lights are broken up and diffused to such an extent that the said projected rays will not interfere with, nor temporarily obscure or bewilder the vision of the driver of an approaching vehicle; or shall be equipped with an efficient device whereby the projected rays of light from said front lights or head-lights may be dimmed or lessened, at the will of the driver of every such motor vehicle or other vehicle, so that said head-lights or front lights, when so dimmed or lessened, will not, by reason of rays

of light being projected forward therefrom, interfere with the sight of, nor temporarily obscure or bewilder the vision of the driver of an approaching vehicle. And it shall be the duty of every person driving any motor vehicle, or other vehicle, as herein contemplated, when approaching any vehicle driving in an opposite direction, to cause the rays of light projected forward from said head-lights or front lights to be broken up and diffused as herein provided, or to effectually apply such dimming device to such head-lights or front lights of such motor vehicle, or other vehicle, so that the rays of light projected forward therefrom will not interfere with the sight of, nor temporarily obscure or bewilder the vision of the driver of any such approaching vehicle.

Section 3. No spot-light shall be used on any motor vehicle, or other vehicle, upon the public highways of this state while approaching or passing another vehicle going in an opposite direction unless the said, spot-light shall be carried and used at such an angle on such motor vehicle, or other vehicle, as will project the rays of light therefrom on the ground in front of such motor vehicle, or other vehicle and at a distance not exceeding fifty (50) feet in front of same.

Section 4. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than five dollars (\$5), nor more than twenty dollars (\$20); and for any second or subsequent offense may be fined in any sum not less than five dollars (\$5) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50).

HARMON.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No.

has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

SYMONS.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Eisterhold offers the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to strike out enacting clause of House Bill No. 89.

EISTERHOLD.

Mr. Kessler moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Waltz, Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

House Bill No. 682, was introduced by Mr. McGonagle:

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the same was ordered printed and made a special order for Tuesday, February 27th at 2 o'clock, p. m.

House Bill No. 687, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 494, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harker, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 54.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Burt, Cronin, Curry, Gorski, Grube, Harmon, Hepler, Hoffman, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, Robertson, Westfall. Total, 15.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 590, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronia, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 71.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Eisterhold, Jameson, Kessler, Kuhlman, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 682, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act making appropriations to be known as regular appropriations for the maintenance of the state government, its institutions, boards, officers, offices, commissions, societies, associations, and services, directing the applications of such appropriations, providing penalties for the violation thereof, requiring accounts to be kept by the fiscal year of the state, fixing salaries and office hours of the state officers, repealing inconsistent laws and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and made a special order for 2 o'clock Tuesday, February 27th, 1917.

House Bill No. 683, by Mr. McGonagle:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) and to repeal section three (3) of an act entitled "An act levying an annual state tax for the purpose of raising revenue for the general fund, benevolent institution fund, the state debt sinking fund and state educational institution fund; providing the method of payment from the state treasury; and authorizing the transfer of unexpended balances in the general fund and benevolent institution fund, saving rights to endowments and permanent funds, and taxes heretofore levied and appropriations heretofore made, providing that unexpended balances in the educational institution funds shall not revert to the general fund; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 10, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

A bill for an act authorizing the transfer of inmates of state institutions to other institutions.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions.

Mr. Duffey offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House recognizes the presence in the Chamber of the Honorable James T. Voshell, District Highway Engineer of the Department of Agriculture, and a former resident of the State of Indiana, and that he be invited to the Speaker's rostrum.

DUFFEY.

Which motion prevailed.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to which was referred Engrossed House Bills Nos. 616, 617, 643, 516, 629, 590, 582, begs leave to report that it has compared the engrossed bill with the original House Engrossed Bill and finds said bills correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT,  
Chairman.

Bills on second reading:

House Bill No. 295, being a bill for an act to enable and facilitate the return to a city of money expended from its general fund for township road bonds, and directing and authorizing the surrender and payment of township bonds issued and sold to a city for the purposes of paying the expenses of the improvement of any public highway ordered by the board of commissioners in cases where such city has expended out of the general fund of such city the money used in purchasing such bonds, and a

the purpose of paying such bonds and such tax has been collected in whole or part and the fund derived therefrom is in the hands of the county treasurer of the county wherein such highway or highways have been ordered improved and the construction of such improvement and further proceedings therefor have been enjoined by any court of competent jurisdiction, and matters relating thereto, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 632, being a bill for an act to determine and quiet the title to certain lands in the State of Indiana, and providing for the procedure therein.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 674, being a bill for an act concerning military instruction in the high schools of the State of Indiana.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House bill No. 95, being:

A bill for an act to authorize the assignment of a mechanic's lien after it has been recorded, and fixing the fee for recording the assignment.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 512, being:

A bill for an act concerning witnesses in civil actions, and procuring their attendance in other counties than that of their residence, and concerning their depositions, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.



The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 518, being:

A bill for an act making it unlawful to erect or use any structure or other form of shelter while fishing in waters covered in whole or in part with ice.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 613, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 20, 33, 36, 48, 52, 60, 61, 64, 72, 73, 76, 77, 81, 89, 90, 93, 105, 109, 151, 153, 172, 173 and 226 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, "repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section ninety two of an act entitled "An act concerning, taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1893; and to amend section two and five of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53, and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895; and to amend sections two and three of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895; and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act

to amend section 11, 114, 115, 125, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1897, and declaring an emergency; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty-one of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," approved March 1, 1897; and to amend section two of an act entitled "An act to amend sections three and four of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53 and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1899; and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 83, 84, 133, 134, 135, 136 and 248 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 27, 1901; and providing a section supplementary to an act entitled "An act to amend sections four and seven of an act entitled "An act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891; and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, drawing room car, dining car, express and fast freight, joint stock association companies, co-partnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana; repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of

with, and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1893; and providing for the taxation of fast freight lines, lines of oil cars, refrigerator cars, cars for shipment of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and other kinds of freight; and to insert in said act an additional and supplementary section to be numbered four and a half, providing for the taxation of pipe lines, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1901, and declaring an emergency; also an act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, drawing room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, co-partnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana, repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency, approved March 6, 1893, and declaring an emergency; and to amend section two of an act entitled "An act to authorize the assessment and appraisal of real estate in newly incorporated towns, and declaring an emergency," approved March 2, 1893; and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act concerning the taxation of real estate incumbered by mortgages, and declaring an emergency," which became a law without the governor's signature, March 4, 1899; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section 112 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," which amended act was approved March 1, 1893, being section 6375 of Horner's Statutes of 1897; which amendatory act was approved March 4, 1899;" and to

ing the office of county assessors, regulating the appointment of persons who may act as deputies, fixing the pay and limiting the time of service, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," passed over the governor's veto March 9, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith and approved February 25, 1903,' approved March 6, 1909," approved March 14, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 623, being:

A bill for an act concerning the recording and registration of chattel mortgages, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Woods offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 623, be amended by striking out the period (.) in line ten and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) followed by the following to-wit: "which said mortgage or assignment shall be registered within ten days from the execution thereof."

WOODS.

Which motion was adopted.

The bill with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 655, being:

A bill for an act making soliciting and advertising for the purpose or business of performing marriage ceremonies a misdemeanor, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 642, being:

A bill for an act fixing the time for holding court in the third judicial circuit for the State of Indiana, prescribing the length of terms thereof, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Habermel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 642, by striking out in line ten, section one the word "first" before the word Monday and insert in lieu thereof the word "second."

HABERMEL.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 664, being:

A bill for an act to create a commission to codify the drainage laws of the state and providing for an appropriation to defray the necessary expenses involved.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 599, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning the common schools of this state, defining the duties of certain officers connected therewith, legalizing certain acts of school trustees, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1899.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bills on second reading:

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 104, by Senator Van Auken, being:

A bill for an act to legalize taxes levied, money borrowed, bonds or warrants issued and any and all acts, determinations and proceedings whatsoever of township trustees and township advisory boards when acting under and by virtue of an act of March 10, 1913, being Chapter 179 of the Session Laws of 1913, which act is inoperative and void.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 115, by Senator McCray, being:

A bill for an act to reimburse Henry W. Bullock for money paid out and expended by him for investigating the comparative efficiency cost and justice of laws concerning industrial accidents and compensation of injured employees and declaring an emergency.

Whereas, the General Assembly of Indiana at the sixty-eight regular session thereof by an act approved March 15, 1913, provided for the appointment of a commission to make inquiry, examination and investigation into the making of the laws of Indiana relative to the liability of employees for industrial accidents and into the comparative efficiency, cost justice and defects of the law of other industrial states and countries and appropriated the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) to defray the expense of such investigation, and,

Whereas, Governor Ralston did appoint such commission consisting of five persons as provided in such act and Henry W. Bullock was appointed on such commission and was chosen chairman and while acting in good faith under such appointment did make such investigation at considerable expense and did file a very comprehensive report

provided for in said act, and,

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Whereas, some question arose as to the validity of the appropriation provided for in said act in that the title of said act did not cover the subject matter thereof, and,

Whereas, said Henry W. Bullock has not been reimbursed or paid for the money laid out and expense incurred by him in performing said public service, therefore:

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 177, by Senator Wolfson, being:

A bill for an act for the dissolution of corporations organized under the laws of the State of Indiana, in cases where receivers have been appointed for such corporations, and providing the method for such dissolution, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 194, by Senator Smith, being:

A bill for an act fixing the time of holding circuit court in the forty-fourth (44th) judicial circuit, composed of the counties of Pulaski and Starke.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 57, by Senator Lanz, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to provide for the reimbursement of school townships where school property belonging thereto has been or shall hereafter be annexed to any city or incorporated town, and declaring an emergency; approved March 3, 1899," and declaring

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 164, by Senator Fleming, being:

A bill for an act to amend section sixty-three (63) of an act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain state and county officers, fixing certain fees to be taxed in the offices and the salaries of officers therein named, providing for certain employers in certain public offices and fixing their compensation, defining certain duties and liabilities of officers and persons therein named, providing for the distribution of certain moneys, making certain appropriations, declaring certain violators of the provisions of this act to be a misdemeanor and prescribing penalties therefor, providing the time when the same shall take effect as to certain offices therein named, and repealing all conflicting laws, approved March 11, 1895.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 101, by Senator Hirsch, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of 'An act to limit the charge which may be made for the transportation of passengers by any corporation, firm or individual owning or operating a railroad in whole or in part within this state, providing for the transportation of baggage, making it unlawful for any person to ride as a passenger without the payment of prescribed and published fares, providing for penalties for the violation of the provisions of the act, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith,' approved February 25, 1909," approved March 4, 1913.

ordered engrossed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

February 24, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 516, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Kimmel moved to make the bill a special order for Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Mr. Mendenhall moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. Miller moved to make the bill a special order for Monday on convening of the House.

Which motion is lost.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burtt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton,

Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 67.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Bartel, Kimmel, Krieg, McNagny, Vesey, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 346, and also Engrossed Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has appointed a committee of four (4) Senators, to confer with a committee from the House, of like number, on Senate Bill No. 18, and respectfully requests that a committee of four (4) from the House be appointed for said conference.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. McGonagle moved that inasmuch as Engrossed Senate Bill No. 18, has

is now in the hands of the committee, the request be not granted.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, by Senator English.

A joint resolution to amend section two (2), article fifteen (XV) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the increase of terms and salaries of officers:

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, by Senator English:

A joint resolution to amend section one (1), article six (VI) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the terms of State officers.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Resolution No. 4, by Senator English:

A joint resolution to amend section two (2), article six (VI) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the terms of county officers.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, by Senator English:

A joint resolution to amend section twenty-one (21), article seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to persons admitted to practice law.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, by Senator English:

A joint resolution to amend section eleven (11), article seven (VII), of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the extension of terms of prosecuting attorneys.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, by Senator English:

A joint resolution to amend section eight (8), article eight (VIII), of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the extension of terms of state superintendents of public instruction.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, by Senator English:

A joint resolution to amend section one (1), article twelve (XII) of the Constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the militia of the State.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, by Senator English.

A joint resolution to amend sections one (1) and two (2) article sixteen (XVI) of the constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the method of amending said constitution.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 91, by Senator Hudgins, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 71.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Hoffman, Houghton, Jinnett, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 184, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt,

Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 66.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Cronin, Day, Jacoby, Robertson, Mr. Speaker. Total, 6.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 562, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles,

sier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Durham, Henke and Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 608, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagney, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robertson, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Wood, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 53.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Buller, Davis of Lake, Day, Dynes, Geddes, Hoffman, Hyland, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mont-

gomery, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph. Total, 21.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 557, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Behmer, Mr. Speaker. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?



It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 649, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Durham, Harmon, Henke, Robertson. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 243, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 67.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cooper, Houghton, Lafuze, Mason, Overmyer, Mr. Speaker. Total, 6.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Message from the Governor.

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF THE SEVENTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House Enrolled Acts Nos. 76, 107, 155, and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

Indianapolis,  
February 24, 1917.

signed Enrolled Acts Nos. 203, 100, 4 and 16.

The Speaker ordered the roll of counties to be called for the introduction of new bills.

House Bill No. 685, by Mr. Green:

A bill for an act concerning township officers, fixing and regulating their compensation, prescribing their duties, abolishing the office of township road supervisor, providing when this act shall take effect and to repeal laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

House Bill No. 686, by Mr. Kuhlman:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning compensation of township trustees in townships having a population of two hundred thousand or more," approved March 4, 1911, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of the city of Indianapolis.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10:30 Monday morning, February 26, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY MORNING.

February 26, 1917.

The House met at 10:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. C. V. Skinner, Pastor Grace Presbyterian Church, Indianapolis.

House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swan, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 88.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Axby, Baker, Bartel, Douglas, Duffey, Griffin, Hougham, Jameson, Montgomery, Mosier, Tucker, Westfall. Total, 12.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Saturday, February 24th, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miles the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred House Bill No. 679, has

and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SYMONS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

That the said bill be known as Kesler-English Absent Voters' Bill, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 684.

Mr. Cravens moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days, be dispensed with and that this bill be read a second time by title, a third time by sections and put upon its passage.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of

man, Lafuze, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

There were none voting in the negative.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a second time, considered engrossed and read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 80.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

House Bill No. 675, being:

A bill for an act authorizing school townships and the corresponding civil townships to borrow money and issue bonds to purchase school grounds and erect school houses in certain cases.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 646, being:

A bill for an act to legalize certain acts, orders and proceedings of boards of county commissioners relating to the establishment and construction of highways, pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled, "An act concerning highways" approved March 8, 1905, and all acts amendatory thereof, and to legalize any and all bonds authorized to be issued thereunder, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 615, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the appointment of bailiffs in the circuit courts in the State of Indiana, to fix their compensation and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 670, being:

A bill for an act to amend section six hundred thirteen (613) of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905.

ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 304, being:

A bill for an act directing the public service commission to supervise and direct the leasing of certain real estate owned or controlled by railroads and electric interurban railways.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 532, being:

A bill for an act for the relief of John A. Bender of Noble county, Indiana, and to authorize and direct the county auditor of Noble county to enter of record a release of a certain mortgage upon the real estate of said John A. Bender, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 495, being:

A bill for an act concerning justices of the peace and constables; regulating their number and fixing their compensation.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 492, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the repair and maintenance of free gravel, macadam, and free turnpike roads in Indiana, constituting the board of commissioners of each county in the state a board of directors of such roads, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Davis offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 492 by striking out all of section five (5)

lowing:

Section 5. Whenever fifteen (15) or more resident freeholders of each township of any county shall file a petition with the board of commissioners of such county asking for the appointment of a county highway superintendent, such board of commissioners may file such petition, and not later than the second regular meeting of such board thereafter appoint a highway superintendent who shall have charge of the maintenance of the free gravel or macadam highways of such county and from and after the appointment of such highway superintendent the free gravel and macadam roads of such county shall be maintained in all respects in conformity with the provisions of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913.

CHESTER A. DAVIS.

Which amendment was adopted and the bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 455, being:

A bill for an act concerning sanitary drinking fountains in public places and prohibiting public drinking cups.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 650, being:

A bill for an act concerning the establishment of state breeding grounds for food and game fishes in the natural streams of this state.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Alldredge offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 650 be amended as follows:

four (4), section one (1), insert "having a fall of more than three (3) feet to the mile."

ALLDREDGE.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Dilworth offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 650 by striking out all of section four (4) thereof, and that section five (5) be renumbered section four (4).

DILWORTH.

Which amendment was adopted, and the bill, with amendment was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 112 by Senator Retherford, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning labor; regulating the payment of wages and providing for the recovery of liquidated damages and attorney's fees" approved February 24, 1913, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 213 by Senator Humphreys, being:

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning the examination of public accounts and reports thereon, the collection and recovery of public funds, prescribing the duties of public officers in relation thereto, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and expressly repealing sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the collection and recovery of public funds of the State of Indiana, and of counties, townships, cities and towns therein, and other matters properly connected therewith,'

pressly repealing an act entitled "An act to amend section seven (7) of an act entitled "An act concerning the collection and recovery of public funds of the State of Indiana, and of counties, township, cities and towns therein and other matters properly connected therewith" approved March 3, 1911, and declaring an emergency," approved March 14, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 88 by Senator Bird, being:

A bill for an act concerning the care of prisoners at a county workhouse, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 156 by Senator Gemmill, being:

A bill for an act to license and regulate the business of making loans in the sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars or less, secured or unsecured at a greater rate of interest than eight per centum per annum, prescribing the rate of interest therefor, prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 8 by Senator Lanz, being:

A bill for an act providing for the erection and maintenance of guideposts on public highways.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Durham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 8 as printed be amended as fol-

line three (3) section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may." By striking out the words "it shall be their duty to" in line two (2) section three (3) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may."

DURHAM.

The motion was adopted.

The bill together with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Senate Bill No. 435.

Mr. Cravens moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days, be dispensed with and that this bill be read a second time by title, a third time by sections and put upon its passage, which was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey,

Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 85.

There were none voting in the negative.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a second time, ordered engrossed and read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Bulter, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentr, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the counties to be called for the introduction of bills.

House Bill No. 687, by Messrs. Gentry and Miller of Howard.

A bill for an act providing for the creation of a commission to investigate the causes of the high cost of coal, food stuffs and other necessities of life.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

House Bill No. 688, by Mr. Miltenberger.

A bill for an act to amend section 95½ of an act entitled, "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the power of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4th, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 689, by E. C. Davis:

A bill for an act authorizing the governor to take possession of and sell food stuff whenever necessary to relieve food shortage or to prevent monopoly of food stuffs, and authorizing investigation thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

House Bill No. 690, by J. W. Mosier:

A bill for an act authorizing the board of trustees of any incorporated town or the common council of any city to purchase coal, food stuffs, and other necessities of life and supply the same at cost to the citizens of such city or town.

referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 576, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 82.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

House Bill No. 589, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Osborn, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 52.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kimmel, Krieg, McNagny, Mendenhall, Mushett, O'Leary, Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams. Total, 35.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 551, which was read a third time in full.



Mr. Kuhlman offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move House Bill No. 551 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By inserting the word "dollars" after the words "twenty-five," line seven (7), section three (3).

KUHLMAN.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Jameson made the following report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 551, reports the same back to the House with the following report, that they have amended said bill as follows:

By inserting the word "dollars" after the words "twenty-five" in line seven (7), section three (3).

JAMESON.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Hepler, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kuhlman, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mushett, Myers, Read, Sambor, Sipe, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Williams. Total, 29.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth,

Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Southard, Swain, Turner, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 53.

It was declared the bill had failed to pass.

Mr. Cravens offers the following protest:

MR. SPEAKER:

Since a member of this House from Warrick county has seen fit in open committee to charge the member of this House from Jefferson county with having, while acting as chairman of the Lincoln Route Commission, diverted the route that he might favor the French Lick hotel people.

The member from Jefferson stands on his constitutional right to protest and demands that the evidence which justified the finding of the Lincoln Route Commission be written into the Journal of this House and made a matter of record, along with one certain letter.

CRAVENS,  
Representative.

Bills on first reading.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 441, by Senator Retherford, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning teachers' licenses and success grades, providing for qualifications and examinations of applicants for teachers' licenses, fees, records and

reports incident thereto; grading of success, records and reports incident thereto and appeals thereon; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith; approved March 10, 1915, and concerning applications for license to teach in junior high schools.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 350, by Senator Hagerty being:

A bill for an act authorizing any city of the second class to lease and to acquire the right to purchase, and to purchase, land and a building, or a building, for use as an auditorium or as an auditorium and public market house combined; and authorizing any such city to acquire land whereon to erect any such building, by purchase or condemnation; and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the rent and the purchase price of said land and building, or building, or land; and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 349, by Senator Gim-mill, being:

A bill for an act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act concerning the prevention, spread and control of infectious diseases among swine, defining the duties of persons and corporations in relation thereto, and making appropriations consistent therewith and providing a penalty," approved March 7, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 348, by Senator Mc-Cray, being:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act concerning common schools in cities having a population of more than one hundred thousand, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1899.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 315, by Senator Mc-Kinley, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the minimum wages of teachers in public schools' approved March 2, 1907, approved March 1, 1911;" and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the minimum wages of teachers in public schools," approved March 2, 1907," approved February 28, 1913, and making classification of teachers.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 225, by Senator Sim-mons, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for a general system of common schools, the officers thereof, and their respective powers and duties, and matters properly connected therewith, and prescribing the fees for certain officers therein named, and for the establishment and regulation of township libraries, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, providing penalties therein prescribed, approved

March 6, 1865, and adding supplemental sections thereto,' approved March 8, 1873," approved March 7, 1905.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 236, by Senator Hemphill, being:

A bill for an act fixing the minimum salary to be paid county recorders in the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 269, by Senator Beardsley, being:

A bill for an act accepting the provisions of the act of Congress providing for national aid for vocational education and providing for carrying the same into effect.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Education.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 281, by Senator Kinder, being:

A bill for an act relative to the charges for carrying passengers upon railroads between points in the State of Indiana, and repealing all conflicting laws.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Railroads.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 293, by Senator Negley, being:

A bill for an act accepting the tender by the city of Indianapolis to the State of Indiana, of an interest in land for use as a governor's residence, fixing a name, and authorizing the transfer and conveyance thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, February 26, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH.

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON.

February 26, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to recommit Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12 to a committee of one, the gentleman from Lake, Mr. Davis, with specific instructions to amend said bill as follows:

By striking out of lines three (3) and four (4) in section two (2) the words and figures, "sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures, "fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)."

By striking out of line two (2) and three (3) in section seven (7) the words and figures, "sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures, "fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)."

By striking out of line six (6), section seven (7), the figures "\$30,000" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$25,000."

By striking out of line seven (7), section seven (7), the figures "\$30,000"

and inserting in lieu thereof the figures \$25,000."

MILLER of Howard.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Davis of Lake offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was recommended Engrossed Senate Bill No. 12 with specific instructions to amend said bill begs leave to report that the same has been amended as instructed.

DAVIS of Lake.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNaghy, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Southard, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 55.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dynes, Green, Harker, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger,

Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Read, Ryan, Scott, Walker, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Mr. Speaker. Total, 37.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Jameson offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to reconsider vote on Senate Bill No. 12.

JAMESON.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 116, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Symons offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 116 be recommitteed to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by inserting after the word "weekly" at the beginning of line twenty-seven (27) of section two (2) the words "or daily."

Also in section one (1), line 44 and 45, strike out the following:

Beginning with the word "in" in line forty-four (44), section one (1), "in which there not to exceed one hundred free-hold voters, then."

SYMONS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 116, with specific

instructions to amend has had the said bill under consideration and begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as instructed.

By inserting after the word "weekly" at the beginning of line twenty-seven (27) of section two (2) the words "or daily."

Also in section one (1), lines 44 and 45, by striking out the following:

Beginning with the word "in" in line forty-four (44); "in which there are not to exceed one hundred freehold voters, then."

MCGONAGLE.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 116 be referred to a committee of one to be selected by the Speaker to amend by striking out the words and figures "fifteen dollars (\$15)" at the end of section one (1), and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "seventy-five dollars (\$75)."

MILLER.

Mr. Winesburg moves to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller moves to indefinitely postpone the bill.

Mr. Blackmore moves to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table was lost.

Messrs. Mason and Miller demand the ayes and noes on the motion of Mr. Miller.

The question being, Shall the motion of Mr. Miller to indefinitely postpone the bill be laid on the table?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Burt, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Downey, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Goraki, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, McClaskey, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Day, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Hoffman, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Westfall, Winesburg, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 36.

Which motion prevailed, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Cravens moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was indefinitely postponed, and that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 345, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dilworth offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that printed Engrossed House Bill No. 345 be referred to a committee

tions to amend as follows:

By striking out all of section one (1) after the word "same" of said section in line eighteen (18) thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The pledgee or holder of such stock as collateral may file a verified answer setting up his or its interest in such stock, and upon the filing of such answer, the burden of proof shall be upon the execution or attaching creditor to rebut the allegations set forth in such answer, and if he fails to so rebut the same, the court shall order the payment of the amount ascertained to be due to such pledgee or holder of such stock as collateral, together with its costs in such proceeding expended, out of the proceeds of a sale of such stock; provided, that such pledgee or holder of such stock as collateral may at his or its option pay the amount of such execution or attachment indebtedness, when the same has been adjudicated by the court, and shall thereupon be entitled to add the same to the indebtedness originally secured and have the same secured in all respects in the same manner as the original pledge, indebtedness or loan."

DILWORTH.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGonagle made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred engrossed printed House Bill No. 345, with specific instructions to amend has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report back to the House that the same has been amended as directed.

By striking out all of section one (1) after the word "same" of said section, in line eighteen (18) thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

as collateral may file a verified answer, setting up his or its interest in such stock, and upon the filing of such answer, the burden of proof shall be upon the execution or attaching creditor to rebut the allegations set forth in such answer, and if he fails to so rebut the same, the court shall order the payment of the amount ascertained to be due to such pledgee or holder of such stock as collateral, together with its costs in such proceeding expended, out of the proceeds of a sale of such stock; provided, that such pledgee or holder of such stock as collateral may at his or its option pay the amount of such execution or attachment indebtedness, when the same has been adjudicated by the court, and shall thereupon be entitled to add the same to the indebtedness originally secured and have the same secured in all respects in the same manner as the original pledge, indebtedness or loan."

MCGONAGLE.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Griffin, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Sambor,

rick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 69.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Eisterhold, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Hepler, Jinnett, Miller of Howard, Robertson, Williams. Total, 9.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Woods offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 345 by striking out said title after the word act in line one thereof and inserting the following:

"Concerning transfer of shares of stock in corporations and defining the rights of pledgees and collateral holders thereof."

WOODS.

The amendment to the title was adopted.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 635, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry,

Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Wesfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 77.

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 635 so that said title shall be and read as follows:

"A bill for an act concerning the construction and maintenance and aid in the construction and maintenance of hospital by cities of the fifth class together with other persons or organizations."

HARKER.

Which motion prevailed, and the title was declared amended.

The amendment was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 100, 203, 4 and 16.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 350, has had the same under consideration and

begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted by the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 441, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

Which report was adopted by the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 269, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER.

Which report was adopted by the House.

By unanimous consent, the Committee on Insurance reported on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY,  
JAMESON,  
ANDERSON,  
GEDDES,  
MILTENBERGER,  
JINNETT.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARRIS,  
MILES,  
CRONIN,  
TURNER,  
HABERMEL.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the Committee for the majority report of the Committee.

Messrs. Harris and Clapp demanded the ayes and noes.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Sanbor, Scott, Turner, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Buller, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Harker, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miltenberger,



Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westrick.  
Total, 29.

The substituted report was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills No. 244, 270, 333, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Governor has approved Senate Enrolled Bills No. 10, 39, 90, and the same has been deposited with the Secretary of State.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has failed to concur in the House amendments to Senate Bill Number 435, and the President of the Senate has appointed a committee of two to meet with the committee of like number from the House to confer upon said bill, and most respectfully requests the House to appoint a committee of two for such purpose.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House appoint a Committee of two to confer with a like Committee of the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 435.

The Speaker appointed Messrs.

Committee.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 434 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cravens moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. McGonagle moved to lay that motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder.  
Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Houghton, Robertson, Williams, Mr. Speaker. Total, 18.

The bill was declared passed.

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 632, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 674, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Mushett, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Southard, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 52.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Day, Durham, Eikenberry, Green, Harker, Henke, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Jinnett, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Osborn, Scott, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Randolph. Total, 35.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 582, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglass, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hesong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, and Mr. Yoder. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Robertson. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 255, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Buller, Douglas, Hartke, Henke, Hougham, Houghton, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Swain, Mr. Speaker. Total, 14.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Conference committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate on Engrossed House Amendment to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 435 would respectfully report that your said committee has conferred with a said like committee of the Senate and have agreed as follows:

1. That said House Amendment to said Engrossed Senate Bill No. 435,

namely, to strike out of line three (3) section two (2) of said Engrossed Senate Bill the word "action" and insert in lieu thereof the word "act" be concurred in by the Senate and that section one of said bill be amended by inserting the words "the court" in line eleven on page three of said Engrossed Senate Bill No. 435 after the words "hereafter pending," and before the words "in which said appeal bond was filed."

Respectfully submitted,

NEGLEY,

HAZEN,

Senate Conferees.

VESEY,

CRAVENS,

House Conferees.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Enrolled House Bills Nos. 203, 101, 16, 248, 168, 4, 100 to report that it has compared the enrolled bills with the original House Engrossed Bills and finds each of said bills correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON,  
Chairman.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 569, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke,

Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 244 by Senator Simmons.

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents; to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of employment; to provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 270 by Senator Grant:

A bill for an act for the improvement of live stock, agriculture, horticulture and also for the encouragement of domestic science and art, and authorizing boards of county commissioners and county councils to appropriate and pay money in aid of county and district agricultural societies and repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 333 by Senator Jackson.

A bill for an act to provide a bounty for killing chicken hawks and providing payment therefor.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, February 27, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH.

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY MORNING.

February 27, 1917.

The House met at 9:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Albert R. Miles, Assistant Pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of Indianapolis

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 94.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Dilworth, Gentry, Mason, Mendenhall, Read, Tucker. Total, 6.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of yesterday to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the Committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 636, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recom-

mendment that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 673, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 688, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Resolution No. 11, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Resolution No. 10, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Resolution No. 9, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the resolution do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, has had the

same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the resolution do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER.

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the resolution do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 44, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 327, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND,  
Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 219, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the

recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 129, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding before the word and figure "Section 4" in line 56 of section one the words and figures "section 2." That section 4 be amended to read as follows:

And by adding before the word and figure "Section 13" in line 82 and section 1 the words and figures "section 3." That section 13 be amended to read as follows:

And by adding before the word and figure "section 14" in line 173 the words and figures "section 4." That section 14 be amended to read as follows:

And by adding before the word and figure "section 21" in line 200 the words and figures "section 5." That section 21 of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

And by adding before the word and figures "section 27" in line 211 the words and figures "section 6." That section 37 be amended to read as follows:

And by striking out of line 2 of section 1 the figures "4, 13, 14, 21 and 27" and also the word "and."

And by adding after the word "sitting" in line 86 and before section 1 the words "or the inheritance tax appraiser as the case may be."

And by adding before the word "every" in line 187 of section 1 the words "except in counties having an inheritance tax appraiser receiving an annual salary provided for by law."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 121, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 173, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 185, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 250, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 155, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass, after the following amendments have been made:

That section eighteen (18) be amended as follows:

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That section eighteen (18) of the first above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 18. The township advisory board, on an estimate made by the township trustee, shall levy annually on or before the first Tuesday in September a road tax of not more than thirty cents on one hundred dollars (\$100) to be levied according to the amount of real and personal property owned in such township, outside of the corporate cities and towns subject to taxation for road purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected, except all road taxes are to be collected with the first yearly installment of taxes; provided that the township trustee may, with the consent of the township advisory board, levy an additional tax, not to exceed ten cents on one hundred dollars valuation, to be paid into the county treasury with the first installment of taxes and to be paid by the treasurer to the township trustee, to be expended for the construction and repair of bridges and culverts and for other road purposes. All taxes so assessed on real or personal property shall be paid into the county treasury in case, as other taxes are paid, and shall be paid by the county treasurer to the township trustee, to be expended for the construction and repair of roads and bridges within his jurisdiction,



provided, that the advisory board on an estimate made by the township trustee shall on or before the first Tuesday in June, 1917, levy a special road tax of not to exceed fifteen cents (15c) on the one hundred dollars (\$100), which may be worked out within the year of 1917 in the manner heretofore provided by law and any part which shall not have been worked out as heretofore provided by law, shall be collected by the county treasurer with the first installment of taxes in 1918 and paid to the township trustee by the county treasurer, to be expended for the construction and repair of roads and bridges within his jurisdiction.

That section 6 be amended as follows:

Section 6. With the exception noted in section four (4) of this act, all provisions contained in this act, because of the emergency which exists, shall be construed to apply to the current year and shall be in full force and effect from and after the first day of April, 1917.

MENDENHALL,  
MASON,  
MOORE,  
OVERMYER,  
DUFFEY,  
BAYER.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 155, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

GREEN,  
MILLER,  
LAFUZE,  
DOUGLAS,  
HARTKE,  
O'LEARY.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report.

The question was carried, and the minority report was substituted for the majority report.

House concurred in the substituted report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 14, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said resolution be adopted.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

Conference committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate on Engrossed Senate Amendments to

committee has conferred with a said like committee of the Senate and have agreed as follows:

That Senate amendment to Section one (1) of Engrossed House Bill No. 79 be stricken out and in lieu thereof the following inserted:

The salary of the Quarter-Master General of the State of Indiana shall be two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per annum; provided, that any amount received from the United States Government for military services rendered to it by said Quarter-Master General of the State of Indiana acting in any capacity shall be deducted from the amount to be paid by the State hereunder.

HUGGINS,  
DOBYNS,  
HUMPHREYS.  
Senate Referees.  
DILWORTH,  
JINNETT,  
MENDENHALL.  
House Referees.

Which report was adopted by the House.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Enrolled House Bills Nos. 79, 122, begs leave to report that it has compared the enrolled bills with the original House Engrossed Bills and finds said bills correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 513, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same

postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 389, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 583, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 360, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 540, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

to which was referred House Bill No. 460, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER:

Which report was adopted.

House Bill No. 484, being:

A bill for an act fixing the term for township trustees and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 412, being:

A bill for an act authorizing cities, towns and townships to levy and collect special taxes in certain cases for the maintenance and support of certain public hospitals located therein.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 571, being:

A bill for an act entitled, An act to amend section ten (10) of an act entitled "An act establishing a probate court in all counties in the state wherein is situated an incorporated city containing, according to the last preceding United States census return, a population of not less than one hundred thousand inhabitants, defining its jurisdiction and powers, providing for keeping the records of such court, the appointment of officers for same, the manner of their selection, fixing the term and salary of such judge, the manner of his election, the payment of his salary, by whom and how the process of such court shall be served, the transfer of cases to such court, and providing for an appeal from the judgment of such court, repealing laws

page 240, Burns R. S. 1914 section 1615), legalizing certain judgments and proceedings of said court, authorizing the transfer of certain pending matters from said probate court to superior and circuit courts and from the latter courts to the former and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 678, being:

A bill for an act to authorize the governing body of any educational institutions to which property shall have been heretofore conveyed by transfer, gift or delivery, and which shall have ceased to exist or operate, to convey such property to any other legally organized educational institution doing substantially the same work and affording substantially the same instruction as was contemplated by the original donors.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dilworth offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed House Bill No. 678, by striking out all that part of section one (1), thereof beginning with the word "Provided" in line twenty-two (22) and ending with the word "came" in line twenty-eight (28).

DILWORTH.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill, together with amendment, was ordered engrossed

House Bill No. 426, being:

A bill for an act to further conserve the natural resources of the state.

The bill was read a second time.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend House Bill No. 426, by striking out of section three (3), line eight (8), the words and figures, "ten (10)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five (25)."

HARRIS.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 662, being:

A bill for an act to authorize the county commissioners in any county, where the county owns any real estate upon which is situated any court house, public office building, or any other building used for public purposes, which the state of Indiana, may desire to buy under the authority of any law enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, to sell said real estate to the State of Indiana, providing that said sale to the State of Indiana may be made by the board of commissioners of such county upon an order by a majority of the members of said board of commissioners, at any regular or special session of said board, without any appraisalment of said real estate or any notice of said sale, or without the consent of the county council of said county, and with special terms and provisions in the contract of sale, providing for a deed of conveyance for said real estate, providing that whenever any real estate owned by any county, upon which there is standing a building used for a court house or for county office purposes, is sold under authority herein granted, the money paid for said real estate by the State of Indiana shall constitute a special fund for the purchase of new court house grounds and part payment for

whenever any county has sold its court house and public office building to the State of Indiana, the board of commissioners of said county may purchase real estate for the erection of a new court house at the county seat of such county and erect a new court house thereon, without any appropriation therefor by the county council of such county or without appraisalment thereof, authorizing, the board of commissioners of such county, whenever the sale of said real estate on which such court house and county office building is situated, has been made to the State of Indiana, with deferred payments of the purchase price or any part thereof, to issue bonds or notes of said county for all or part of the amount of said deferred payments, without an order from the county council of said county, that the proceeds thereof may be used to purchase new ground and erect a new court house thereon, providing that, when the price paid by the State of Indiana for such real estate of any county, upon which a court house or county office building is located, is not sufficient to pay the purchase price of the new ground bought by the board of commissioners for a new court house site and the contract price of the new court house, which the commissioners may determine to erect, the board of commissioners of such county, may issue bonds of said county in an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars to secure funds to pay for the purchase price for said new court house site and contract price of said new court house, without any order by the county council of said county, providing that all bonds and notes issued under the authority of this act shall be non-taxable, providing for a tax levy to pay the principal and interest of such bonds providing that condemnation proceedings may

be brought to secure real estate for a new court house site, providing the manner of the letting of the contract for the building of such new court house, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Habermel offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 662 be amended by inserting in section nine (9), line three (3) after the word "needed" the letter "t" to make "herein" read "therein."

HABERMEL.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendment, was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 218, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties and the registration of voters.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dynes offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 218 be amended as follows:

In line fourteen (14) of section twenty-nine (29), strike out the word "ward" and insert in lieu thereof the word "board."

DYNES.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days, be

dispensed with and that this bill be read a second time by title, a third time by sections and put upon its passage.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules:

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Douglas, Durham, Harmon, Hartke, Krieg, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Walker. Total, 11.

The constitutional rules were suspended and the bill was ordered engrossed.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 218, be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific

Instructions to amend said bill by adding to section three (3) the words, "Provided that said section three (3) be not applicable to the year 1917.

KIMMEL.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Mason offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 218, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill is amended as directed.

MASON.

Which report was adopted.

The amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt. Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay,

Wright of Randolph, Roder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Bonham, Grube, Hougham, Mosier, Read, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Wood. Total, 10.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of House Bill No. 218 by striking out all of said title after the word "Act" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Providing for registration of voters, and matters connected therewith, providing penalties for a violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

DYNES.

Which amendment was adopted, and ordered engrossed.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 21, 105, 108, 140, 178, 184, 196, 209, 218, 247, 337, 419, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 265, by Senator Retherford, being:

A bill for an act concerning the issuance and service of summons in civil cases.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222, by Senator Beardsley, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act fixing the salaries of judges of the circuit and superior courts of this state, and when the same shall be paid, and providing in what manner the judges in counties containing cities of a certain population, such salaries may be increased, and how and when such increase shall be paid, and declaring an emergency,' approved March 4, 1893," and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1895," and declaring an emergency, approved February 24, 1913.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Anderson offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222, as follows, to-wit:

Section one (1), lines eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) of the printed bill by striking out the words "in no event in excess of the sum specified in such petition, but in no event in excess of the sum of \$1,500."

And by inserting in section one (1), line twenty-two (22) of the printed bill between the word "court" and the period following said word, the following: "not in excess of the sum specified in such petition, nor in any event in excess of the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1500) dollars."

ANDERSON.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Walker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER.

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222 by striking out of section one (1) line seven (7) of the printed bill, the word and figures "twenty (20)" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "two hundred (200)".

WALKER.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendments, was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204, by Senator Metzger, being:

A bill for an act to repeal section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act concerning telephone companies and supplemental to 'An act for the incorporation of manufacturing and mining companies and companies for mechanical, chemical and building purposes; approved May 20, 1852, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto and declaring an emergency," approved April 7, 1881, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 82, by Senator Reidelbach, being:

A bill for an act authorizing counties to erect and maintain auditoriums and coliseums by co-operation with private associations or corporations; prescribing the method of such co-operation, and of securing sites for, locating, erecting and maintaining such buildings, fixing the title to such property; authorizing the issuance of bonds and providing for the purchase or sale of such properties.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 286, by Senator Grant, being:

A bill for an act to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the organization of drainage, sanitary and reclamation districts and prescribing their powers, and duties," approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 227, by Senator Spaan, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section first of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the security and payment of laboring men and mechanics,' approved March 29, 1879 (being section 5206 of the Revised Statutes of 1881)" approved March 17, 1885.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 336, by Senator Kinder, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections two (2), three (3) and four (4) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of an act entitled "An act to establish a state board of embalmers; to provide a system of examination, registration and licensing the embalmers to provide for the better protection of life and health; to prevent the spread of infectious and contagious diseases in the state; to legalize licenses issued to embalmers by the state board of health previous to the enactment of this statute, and to impose penalties for the violation of its provisions and declaring an emergency," approved March 12, 1901,' approved March 4, 1905," approved March 11, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 110, by Senator Metzger, being:

A bill for an act legalizing the acts of county boards of commissioners in the matter of granting petitions, making surveys, ordering improvements, awarding contracts, ordering issue of bonds, and issuing of bonds for the construction of free gravel, stone or other macadamized roads pursuant to the act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, approved March 8, 1907, (Acts 1907, P. 211), being an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to titled an act concerning the construction of free gravel, stone or other macadamized roads and for the payment of costs thereof and their maintenance, and declaring an emergency; approved March 9, 1903, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1905." 'and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Anderson offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 110 as follows:

In section one (1), beginning in line twenty-three (23) of the printed bill, by striking out all of said section one (1) after the word "commissioners" and period following the same, in said line twenty-three (23) and section one (1).

ANDERSON.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Grube offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 110, by inserting after the word "county" in section one (1) line eight (8), the words "or extending from any street in any city or town to a township line."

GRUBE.



The amendment was adopted.

The bill, with amendments, was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 159, by Senator Culbertson, being:

A bill for an act, entitled an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled, "An act entitled an act to provide for the protection and reclamation of lands subject to overflow, by the construction and maintenance of levees," approved March 9, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to which was referred Engrossed House Bills Nos. 95, 295, 512, 518, 599, 613, 616, 623, 642, 655, 664, 154, 258, 523, 610, 632, 635, 640 and Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 57, 79, 136, 177, begs leave to report that it has compared the engrossed bills with the original House Bills and finds each of said bills correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT,  
Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

February 27, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Mr. Miller offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Indiana that the president and the board of trustees of Indiana University be authorized to make or cause to be made before January 1, 1919, an impartial inquiry as to the merits of any new method or methods of treatment of disease which may be called to their attention and for which newness and substantial benefit are claimed and that the authorities of said Indiana University be directed to report to the governor of Indiana on or before January 1, 1919, the result of their investigation, with such recommendations as may seem justifiable and proper, provided, no expense be incurred thereby.

MILLER.

Which resolution was adopted.

By unanimous consent the following bills were introduced:

House Bill No. 692 by Mr. Turner:

A bill for an act concerning voluntary associations for the purpose of insuring farm property and certain school and church property, and public halls and their contents, providing how the same are to be incorporated and managed, how persons and corporations may become members thereof, extending the privileges thereof to certain other companies heretofore organized and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By unanimous consent of the House, Mr. McGonagle introduced House Bill No. 691:

A bill for an act making appropriations to be known as "Special Appropriations" necessary for the conduct of the State government, its institutions,

boards, officers, offices, commissions, associations, societies, services and other extraordinary appropriations not provided for by statute, directing the application of such appropriations and when same shall be valid, providing penalties for the violation thereof, requiring accounts to be kept by the fiscal year of the State, repealing conflicting laws and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the bill was ordered printed and was made a special order for 2:00 o'clock to-morrow, Wednesday.

On motion Mr. McGonagle moved that the House do now resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of House Bill No. 682.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed Representative Houghton, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee of the Whole reports as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee of the Whole House, to which was referred House Bill No. 682, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report that said bill be amended as follows:

First: Strike out the figure 9 at the end of line 2, section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 8.

Second: By inserting the word "dollars" after the word "fifteen" in line 146, page 4.

Third: By inserting the words "the department of" after the word "for" in line 216, page 6.

Fourth: By inserting the word "dollars" after the word "Hundred" in line 291, page 7.

Fifth: By inserting the word "of" at the beginning of line 336 page 8.

Sixth: By striking out line 533, 534 and 535 in section 2 page 13.

Seventh: By striking out the word "Person" on page 13 line 560 and insert in lieu thereof the word "persons."

Eighth: By inserting the word "to," after the word "issued" on page 14 line 597.

Ninth: By striking out the word "such" after the word "no" on page 14 line 605.

Tenth: By striking out the word "or" after the word "salary" on page 15, line 647 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of."

Eleventh: By striking out the word "education" in section 2 page 14 line 606 and insert in lieu thereof the word "educational."

Twelfth: Following the line 579, section 2 page 15, insert the words:

"The state board of finance is hereby given authority to make available any part of the annual appropriation for maintenance for any institution for the succeeding fiscal year in order to carry out the provisions of this act."

Thirteenth: By striking out of line 521, section 2 the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nine." and when so amended said bill do pass.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. McGonagle moves that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended, and that the bill be read a second and third time, and placed upon its passage, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the constitutional rule be suspended?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Downey. Total, 2.

The constitutional rule was declared suspended.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The bill was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland,

Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Durham. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 178, by Senator English:

A bill for an act to appropriate ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the erection of a suitable memorial to the pioneer mothers of Indiana, and providing for the expenditure of such sum by the Pioneer Mothers Memorial Association of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 108, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act making an appropriation for the payment of part of the expenses of the annual encampment of the Indiana department of the Grand Army of the Republic, and for the payment of part of the

expenses of maintaining such department.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 105, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act making it lawful for the employes of the State of Indiana employed in the offices located at the capitol building, to be granted each Saturday afternoon as a holiday; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 21, by Senator Mercer:

A bill for an act providing that freight yards shall not be located within a distance of five hundred (500) feet from church or school building.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, by Senator English:

A joint resolution to amend section two (2), article seven (VII) of the constitution of the State of Indiana, relating to the judges of the supreme court.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 218, by Senator Nejd.

A bill for an act concerning the inspection of masonry construction.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 209, by Senator Simmons:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act defining delinquency in children, and providing for the punishment of any person responsible for, or in any way contributing to, the delinquency or other offenses of any child," approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled 'An act defining delinquency in children, and providing for the punishment of any person responsible for, or in any way contributing to, the delinquency or other offenses of any child,' approved March 6, 1905," approved March 9, 1907.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 247, by Senator English:

A bill for an act providing for the appointment of state constables from the membership of the national horse thief detective association and prescribing their powers and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 184 by Senator McKinley:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled, "An act providing for the building of sidewalks in incorporated towns," approved March 15, 1913, and repealing sections five (5) and six (6) thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 196 by Senator Kolsem:

A bill for an act to enable and facilitate the return to a city of money expended from the general fund for township road bonds, and directing and authorizing the surrender and payment of township bonds issued and sold to a city for the purpose of paying the expenses of the improvement of any public highway ordered by the board of commissioners in cases where such city has expended out of the general fund of such city the money used in purchasing such bonds, and a tax or assessment has been levied for the purpose of paying such bonds and such tax has been collected in whole or part and the fund derived therefrom is in the hands of the county treasurer of the county wherein such highway or highways have been ordered improved and the construction of such improvement and further proceeding therefor have been enjoined by any court of competent jurisdiction, and matters relating thereto, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 337 by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 20, 33, 36, 48, 52, 60, 61, 64, 72, 73, 76, 77, 81, 89, 90, 93, 105, 109, 151, 153, 172, 173 and 226 of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation,' repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section ninety-two (92) of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict

therewith, and declaring an emergency." approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1893; and to amend sections two (2) and five (5) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53 and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895; and to amend sections two (2) and three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 125, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1897, and declaring an emergency; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section thirty-one (31) of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," approved March 1, 1897; and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections three (3) and four (4) of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53 and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1899;

entitled, "An act to amend sections 83, 84, 133, 134, 135, 136 and 248 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891 and declaring an emergency," approved February 27, 1901; and providing a section supplementary to an act entitled "An act to amend sections four (4) and seven (7) of an act entitled "An act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891; and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace cars, sleeping cars, drawing room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, co-partnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana; repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act, and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1893; and providing for the taxation of fast freight lines, lines of oil cars, refrigerator cars, cars for shipment of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and other kinds of freight; and to insert in said act an additional and supplementary section to be numbered four and a half, providing for the taxation of pipe lines, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1901, and declaring an emergency; also an act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, dining-room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, co-partnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana, repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act and all laws in conflict

approved March 6, 1893, and declaring an emergency; and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to authorize the assessment and appraisement of real estate in newly incorporated towns and declaring an emergency," approved March 2, 1893; and to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act concerning the taxation of real estate incumbered by mortgage, and declaring an emergency," which became a law without the governor's signature, March 4, 1899; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section 112 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," which amended act was approved March 1, 1893, being section 6375 of Horner's Statutes of 1897; which amendatory act was approved March 4, 1899;" and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the office of county assessors, regulating the appointment of persons who may act as deputies, fixing the pay and limiting the time of service, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," passed over the governor's veto March 9, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith and approved February 25, 1903; approved March 6, 1909," approved March 4, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 140, by Senator Hudgins, (by request):

A bill for an act concerning the hours of labor of and conditions of employment of female employees in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Labor.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 419, by Senator Laney:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend 'An act to give a person, firm or corporation or others engaged in storing or furnishing supplies for repairing automobiles, or motor truck, or person, firm or corporation maintaining an automobile garage a lien upon automobiles or motor trucks stored, or kept, or for which supplies are furnished or upon which repairs are made, providing a means of foreclosing the same and declaring an emergency, approved March 15, 1913' and providing for attorney fees, and extending the same to include and cover motor bicycles" acts 1915, page 621, approved March 10th, 1915, and extending said lien after loss of possession.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 1, which was read a third time in full.

On motion of Mr. Jacoby, further consideration of the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 2, which was read a third time in full.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, further consideration of the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 3, which was read a third time in full.

On motion of Mr. Kessler, further consideration of the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 4, which was read a third time in full.

On motion of Mr. Jacoby, further consideration of the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 6, which was read a third time.

On motion of Mr. Dilworth, further consideration of the bill was indefinitely postponed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 295, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis, of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 85.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Houghton, Jinnett, McClaskey, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Vesey, Mr. Speaker. Total, 6.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 461, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Woods offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill No. 461 be referred to a committee of one, its author with specific instructions to amend as follows: by adding to the end of said bill the following:

"Provided, that in all cities of the first class such fees shall be paid into the School Fund of said city."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kimmel offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred House Bill No. 461, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

KIMMEL.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called,

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hartke,

Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Read, Scott, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 53.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Douglas, Eistarhold, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Houghton, Krieg, Mason, Miles, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Tucker, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Mr. Speaker. Total, 37.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The following Concurrent Resolution was introduced by Mr. Dilworth (by request):

A concurrent resolution relating to the development of aeronautics for military purposes and the establishment of a station at Fort Benjamin Harrison.

- Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That an invitation be extended to the National Committee having charge of the locating and development of aeronautical stations throughout the United States to locate such a station at Fort Benjamin Harrison and the governor is



requested to use his good offices in bringing about that end.

Be it further resolved, That a committee shall be appointed by the governor who, together with the governor, shall investigate the advisability of the development of aeronautics for the betterment of the armed forces of the state.

Be it further resolved, That the offer of the American Air Craft Company of Anderson, Indiana, heretofore made to instruct in aeronautics free of charge three (3) men who are enlisted in the military service of this state is accepted with appreciation by the state and the governor is urged to make such use of the offer as in his judgment may be warranted.

Which resolution was adopted by the House.

The clerk was instructed to notify the Senate of the adoption of the Resolution.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 225, 236, 281, 293, 315, 348, 349, 350, 441, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 269 and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to which was referred Engrossed House Bills, Nos. 529 and 611, begs leave to report that it has compared the engrossed bills with the original House Bills and finds each of said bills correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT,  
Chairman.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 614, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 581, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 456, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 414, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report

the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 686, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MONTGOMERY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Agriculture, to which was referred House Bill No. 433, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SWAIN.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill No. 595, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KESSLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred House Bill No. 685, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

JINNETT.

Which report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 7:30 this evening.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## TUESDAY EVENING.

February 27, 1917.

The House met at 7:30 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Mr. Swain offered the following resolution:

House Concurrent Resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following concurrent resolution and move its adoption:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

Whereas, the lack of an adequate, cheap domestic source of combined nitrogen is the cause of the present prohibitive price on nitrogenous fertilizers to the farmers of the country and forces the government to secure from foreign sources a supply of this necessary material for the manufacture of explosives, and

Whereas, the 64th Congress, in view of these facts, has passed a provision and made an appropriation of \$20,000,000, for the purpose of establishing a plant to obtain nitrogen to be used in war for the manufacture of explosives and in peace for the production of fertilizers and

Whereas, the value of this development to the farmer, in time of peace, depends entirely upon a large production, cheaply manufactured and economically transported to the consumer, and

Whereas, an adequate cheap produc-

tion of fertilizers depends upon a large volume of low cost power, economically located with reference to sources of limestone, coke and phosphate rock and centrally located with respect to fertilizer consumption and upon a navigable stream that will furnish cheap transportation of the product, and

Whereas, the Mussel Shoals on the Tennessee River satisfactorily meets all the requirements of a suitable location for a safe, adequate and cheap production of nitric acid in time of war and of combined fertilizer in time of peace and has been thoroughly studied and approved by the board of army engineers as having abundant cheap power,

Therefore, be it resolved by the 70th legislature of the State of Indiana, that it respectfully requests and urges the interdepartmental board on location of nitrate plant appointed by President Wilson by executive order January 15th, 1917, that it study and investigate this question primarily with the view to the production of a large amount of cheap fertilizer, and locate the plant where this can best be done, and

Be if further resolved, that we endorse the Mussel Shoals on the Tennessee River as a most suitable location for this purpose as well as for the safe production of nitric acid in time of war, and that we urge upon this board the selection of that site, and

Be it further resolved, that official copies of this resolution be sent to each member of the board consisting of, the Secretary of War, Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior, and that printed copies be sent to each member of the 65th Congress from the State of Indiana.

SWAIN.

Which resolution was adopted by the House.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 642, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 71.

Those voting in the negative were:

None:

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 599, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Houghton moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion was lost.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bonham, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Dynes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Jacoby, Johnson, of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Scott, Southard, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wright of Randolph. Total, 47.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Buller, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Eikenberry, Geddes, Hartke, Hoffman, Houghton, Jinnett, Krieg, Miles, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Overmyer, Robertson, Samboi, Sipe, Swain, Vesey, Winesburg, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 25.

It was declared the bill had failed to pass for want of the constitutional majority.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 573, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Greer, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon,

Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Samboi, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Winesburg, Wood. Total, 66.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Westrick. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 372, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Samboi, Scott, Sipe, Southard,

Swain, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Randolph. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Blackmore and O'Leary. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 354, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Randolph. Total, 58.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Burt, Curry, Day, Dilworth, McClaskey, Overmyer, Southard, Turner, Westfall. Total, 9.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 643, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Hartke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mussett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Turner. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 586, which was read a third time in full.

pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Baker, Behmer, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mushett, Myers, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Yoder. Total, 50.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Burt, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Downey, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Krieg, Moore, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Turner, Westrick. Total, 28.

The bill failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 572, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes,

Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Henke, Griffin, Miles, Osborn, Robertson, Turner, Mr. Speaker. Total, 7.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 552, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel,

Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Randolph. Total, 64.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Robertson, Vesey, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 647, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker,

Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Randolph. Total, 67.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Krieg and Robertson. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 529, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Baker, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Randolph. Total, 53.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Coggins, Cronin, Day, Harmon, Hepler, Krieg, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Scott. Total, 16.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning, February 28, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING.

February 28, 1917.

The House met at 10 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. G. Fritsche, pastor of Nippert Memorial Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Bonham, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaguy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson,

Ryan, Samboor, Scott, Spe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vese, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 87.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Duffey, Durham, Eisterhold, Harker, Kessler, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Tucker. Total, 13.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, February 27th, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Buller the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Banks, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 229, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SYMONS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 333, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred Senate Bill No.



288, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of said bill except the enacting clause and substituting the following:

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, that no license or extension of license to sell intoxicating liquor at retail or wholesale in the State of Indiana shall, prior to April 2, 1918, be granted to any person except such person be a present holder of such a license or shall become the holder of such by lawful transfer or order of court.

Section 2. On such renewals or extensions permitted by section one (1) of this act boards of county commissioners are authorized to reduce the regular license fee as now provided by law, pro rata for the portion of the year remaining prior to such date of April 2, 1918. Existing wholesale or retail licenses may be renewed or extended by the board of commissioners for any fractional period during the year ending April 2, 1918, all of which fractional licenses shall expire April 2, 1918.

Section 3. Whereas, an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MYERS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rivers and Waters, to which was referred House Bill No. 584, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WILLIAMS.

Which report was adopted.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rivers and Waters, to which was referred House Bill No. 379, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WILLIAMS,  
SOUTHARD,  
SAMBOR,  
MOSIER,  
KUHLMAN,  
EISTERHOLD.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rivers and Waters, to which was referred House Bill No. 379, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in line six (6) of section four (4) after the word "one" the word "half" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "third"; also by adding section seven (7):

Section 7. The provisions of this act shall not apply to any dam used for supplying water for the inhabitants of any municipal corporation, for domestic purposes, or for fire protection; nor to any dam used for generating or furnishing power, water, light or heat for public use or a public utility, or to any dam in a public park used for the pleasure and recreation of the public; and when so amended that said bill do pass.

OSBORN,  
COOK,  
BAKER.

report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was lost, and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

House concurred in the majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rivers and Waters, to which was referred House Bill No. 648, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WILLIAMS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rivers and Waters, to which was referred House Bill No. 633, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WILLIAMS.

Which report was adopted.

Majority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 70, has had the same under consideration and reports that said bill should be amended by striking out all of the same after the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:

Section 1. That on or after February 1, 1918, the mayor in cities of the first class, as defined by law, shall have power to appoint a suitable commission of three (3) persons, to be known

market commission.

Section 2. The members of such commission shall serve without compensation, but shall be allowed necessary traveling expenses while attending to the business of the commission, to be paid on warrants drawn by the comptroller of any such city, upon vouchers therefor, approved by the chairman of any such commission. The commission shall organize within thirty (30) days after appointment, electing one of its members chairman, and may appoint a secretary, either with or without compensation, and may employ such experts, clerks, attorneys and assistants as it may deem necessary, and fix their compensation. All necessary expenses connected with the business of the commission shall be paid in the same manner as provided for the expenses of the commissioners.

Section 3. The commission shall investigate the problems connected with the supply and distribution of food products by means of municipal wholesale terminal market facilities, and methods and systems to obtain the best results in providing food supply for cities and its distribution, all to the best advantage to inhabitants of cities; and such commission shall make such surveys, take such testimony, hold such hearings, visit such places, and make such tests and experiments in its own city, as it may deem advisable. Such commission shall report its conclusions to the mayor and common council, together with the draft of any plan the commission may desire to recommend, and the drafts of any bills or proposed ordinances it may deem required to carry out its recommendations. With the approval of the mayor and common council, the commission may take such preliminary steps as are deemed advisable, but within the limits of the funds herein provided, to install or initiate or establish its

recommendations. The term of office of such commission shall expire December 1, 1918.

Section 4. The expenditures of said commission shall be paid out of the general fund for city purposes upon appropriations by the common council therefor, and the common council shall make such appropriations within the limit and not to exceed the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars, and if necessary, to meet such appropriations, the common council is authorized and required to levy a special tax of not to exceed one-half of one cent on each one hundred dollars worth of taxables in said city.

And that, as so amended, said bill do pass.

Also that the title of said bill be amended to read as follows:

A bill for an act entitled an act to provide for the appointment of commissions in cities of the first class, to investigate the supply and distribution of food products by municipal wholesale terminal market facilities, and matters incidental thereto.

MONTGOMERY,  
WOODS,  
DYNES,  
SIPE,  
GEDDES,  
KUHLMAN,  
JAMESON.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 70, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HYLAND,  
SCOTT.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

The question was carried and the minority report was substituted for the majority report.

House concurred in the substituted report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 680, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 689, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 290, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 257, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recom-

mendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of lines 11 to 16 of page 5 of the engrossed bill the words "no members of such board of school trustees shall serve without compensation but shall be exempt from jury duty during their respective terms of office" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "each member of such board of school trustees shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) annually;" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

KESSLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 186, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 276, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 230, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2, by Senator English, being:

A bill for an act to provide a method of voting at general, special and primary elections by qualified voters, who by reason of illness, the nature of their business or other cause are unavoidably absent from the polls or the county of their residence on election day.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Read offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2 be amended by striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof the following to-wit:

"That all of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' approved March 8, 1915, be and the same are hereby repealed.

And that all political parties are hereby granted full power to adopt such methods, rules and regulations for the establishment and government of their own individual party affairs as they may deem best. Such parties shall have the right to determine the time and manner of selecting their candidates for office to be voted for at general or special elections: Provided, that at least fifteen (15) days' notice of all primary elections and conventions at which such candidates are to be selected shall be given through publication in the public press; and provided further, that such primary election or convention shall be held

not more than ninety (90) days prior to the date of such general or special elections."

READ.

Mr. Dynes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 597, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to recommit House Bill No. 597, to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by striking out the word "public" in line fourteen (14) section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the word "private;" and by striking out the words "at any reasonable time during office hours by any interested person" in lines fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "upon an order from the court in which adoption papers were granted or on order from the board of state charities."

DYNES.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Kimmel moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Miller of Howard, moved to lay that motion on the table.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Kimmel's motion prevailed and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 257, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Jinnett, Tucker, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 258, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Coope.; Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Swain, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 71.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Curry, Eisterhold, Tucker, Mr. Speaker. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 495, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Buller, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Grube, Haber-

mel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Bayer, Bonham, Clapp, Hartke, Henke, Hougham, Houghton, Krieg, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Swain, Walker, Winesburg, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 17.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 609, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel,

Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller, of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill,

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 623, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Westfall, West-

rick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Douglas, Eisterhold, Harker, Henke, Houghton, Miller of Howard, Walker, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 9.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 614, by Sambor, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred fifty-six (156) of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations" approved March 6th, 1905, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 686, by Kuhlman, being:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act concerning compensation of township trustees in townships having a population of two hundred thousand or more," approved March 4, 1911, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 688, by Miltenberger, being:

A bill for an act to amend section 95½ of an act entitled, "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the power of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4th, 1913.

which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 which was read a second time.

Mr. Miltenberger moved that the House do not consume to exceed thirty minutes on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Walker offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 by inserting in section one (1) line twenty-one (21) of the printed bill after the word "prohibited" and before the word "the" the following: "the board of trustees of any incorporated town or the common council of any city from permitting by ordinance," and by inserting in line twenty-two (22) of section one (1) after the word "nature" and before the period the words "on Sunday."

WALKER.

Mr. Geddes moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Gentry offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 be amended by adding thereto a section numbered Section 2.

Section 2. That upon the taking effect of this act there shall be appointed by the governor a commission composed of three (3) members, the members of said board to be appointed for the term of three (3) years, however, the first board created under this act shall serve as follows: one member to serve for a term of one year, one for two years and one for three

years, hereafter the members of the board to serve for three years. The members of the board shall receive an annual salary of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) per year and necessary traveling expenses. The pay of said members and the cost of traveling expenses of such members shall be paid by the motion picture exhibitors in the state, the cost thereof shall be prorated among the houses based on the seating capacity of the house. The duties of the board shall be to use their influence to raise the standard of moving picture performances, and to see that all exhibitions of moving picture films are strictly moral in character, and in any case wherein any moving pictures are shown do not reach the standard of morality set by the board, said board shall give notice to the offending exhibitor to refrain from exhibiting said film or films thereafter, and in the event said exhibitor, owner or proprietor of said moving picture theatre continues to exhibit pictures of an immoral character, or refuses to refrain from exhibiting said pictures after being notified by the board to do so, the board shall thereupon cancel the license of said exhibitor, owner or proprietor of said moving picture theatre to do business in this State.

GENTRY.

Mr. Eisterhold moved to lay the amendment on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

Mr. Gentry's amendment is adopted.

Mr. Harker offers the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to strike out the enacting clause of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259.

HARKER.



Mr. Geddes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Clapp offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 by inserting in line twenty-one (21) of section one (1) after the word "prohibit" a comma and the words "in cities of the first and second class" and a comma after these words.

CLAPP.

Mr. Geddes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Clapp offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 by inserting after the word "prohibit" in line twenty-one (21) of section one (1) a comma and the words "between the hours 1 and 5 p. m." and following these words, a comma.

CLAPP.

Mr. Geddes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Krieg offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed printed Senate Bill No. 259 be amended by changing the period at the end of line twenty-two, section one (1), to a comma and by adding after said comma the following:

"After the hour of two o'clock p. m."

KRIEG.

Mr. Habermel moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

The Krieg amendment is adopted.

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 by striking out the period at the end of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Provided that no charge be made or contribution be received for admission thereto."

HARKER.

Mr. Geddes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill, with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted Senate Resolution from the state of California, and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate:

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 193, 261, 264, 433 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 617, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 55.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cronin, Day, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, O'Leary, Robertson, Tucker, Turner, Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 24.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 639, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 67.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Burt, Cronin, Curry, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, O'Leary, Mr. Speaker. Total, 16.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Kimmel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 639 by striking out all of said title following the words "A bill for an act to amend section three (3) of an act" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "entitled, 'An act concerning annuities or benefits for teachers retired after specified years of service or for disability, and other matters connected therewith and pertaining thereto,'" which became a law without the signature of the Gov-

emergency.

KIMMEL.

The amendment was adopted.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Senate bills on first reading:

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, by Senator Chambers, being:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend sections 2, 4, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 26, 27 and 33 and to repeal sections 23 and 28 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof.' "

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Elections.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 193 by Senator Spaan, being:

A bill for an act providing for the sale of certain real estate and for the re-location of the Indiana women's prison, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 264, by Senator Reser (by request), being:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled "An act concerning the maintenance and repair of free gravel or macadam roads," approved March 15, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

Senate Bill No. 261, by Senator Negley, being:

A bill for an act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance of boards of city planning commissioners within municipalities and prescribing their powers and duties.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

February 28, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down for second reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 51.

Mr. Jameson offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 51 as follows:

Lines six (6) and seven (7), section one (1), strike out the words "not incorporated in the laws of the State of Indiana" and insert in lieu thereof the words doing business in the State of Indiana;

Section one (1), line seven (7), after the word "exceed" strike out the word "one" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one-half."

JAMESON.

Mr. Cravens moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill passed to engrossment.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House do now resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of House Bill No. 691.

Which motion prevailed.

The Committee of the Whole reports as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

The Committee of the Whole House, to which has been referred House Bill No. 691, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

First: In line 171, page 5, strike out the word "repairing" and insert in lieu thereof the word "removing".

Second: In line 171, page 5, strike out the word "three" and insert in lieu thereof the word "one".

Third: In line 185, page 5, strike out the word "and".

Fourth: After the period in line 196, add the following:

"To continue the work of the committee to study the problem of mental defectiveness in Indiana, ten thousand dollars, to be available from April 1, 1917, to September 30, 1919; the members of said committee to be appointed by the governor and to serve without compensation, but to be paid actual expenses."

Fifth: Add after the period at the end of line 196, page 5, the following:

"For installing a modern system of forced ventilation of the capitol building and for the replacement, alteration and repair of the capitol and the fixtures and equipment thereof,

as authorized by an act entitled "An act relating to the ventilation, alteration and repair of the State Capitol at the city of Indianapolis, Indiana, and providing the appropriation therefor and declaring an emergency" approved February 16, 1917, one hundred thirty-two thousand dollars."

Sixth: After the word "State" in line 199, section 2, by inserting the words, "from February 1, 1917."

Seventh: By striking out the words "one thousand five" in said line 199, section 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve".

Eight: By inserting after the word "stenographer" in line 200, section 2 the words, "from February 1, 1917."

Ninth: By striking out the words "eight hundred and fifty" in line 201, section 2, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eighty".

And when so amended said bill do pass.

McCLASKEY.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Cravens moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days, be dispensed with, and that this bill be read a second time by title, a third time by sections and placed on its passage.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules:

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Haber-

Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 79.

None voting in the negative.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a second time, ordered engrossed and was read a third time.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dyne, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hession, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker,

fall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 85.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 495 passed the House be reconsidered.

MILLER.

Message from the Governor.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Representatives of the State of Indiana:

I herewith return House Enrolled Act No. 169 without my approval.

Section 9595 Burns' Annotated Indiana Statutes, Revision of 1914. provides as follows:

"In no event shall a debt of the township be created except by the advisory board of such township, and in the manner herein specified, and any payment of any debt not so authorized from the public funds of such township, shall be recoverable upon the bond of the trustee in a suit, which it is hereby made the duty of said board to institute and prosecute in the name of the State, for the use of said Township. And said board is hereby empowered to appropriate, and the township trustee shall pay out of the township funds a reasonable sum for attorneys' fees for such purpose. And if the board, on the written demand of any tax payer, fails for thirty days to bring suit, then such

or any other tax payer may bring the same in the name of the state, for the use of the township."

It appears from the recital of the preamble of this Enrolled Act now returned without executive approval, that certain township trustees in this state failed to make levies sufficient to provide for the current expenses of their townships, both school and civil, that certain persons lent money to these townships and certain employees of such townships performed services for the benefit of such townships and that township warrants were issued to such persons and employees for money lent and services rendered. It also appears from the recitals of the preamble of the Enrolled Act that the advisory boards made no record of the transactions set out in the preamble, and this is tantamount to reciting that the warrants were issued without the direction or authorization of the township advisory boards.

Under the statute above referred to, and in part herein quoted, these warrants are not legal debts against the township and their payments, under the existing law, by the trustees of the townships referred to in the preamble and recoverable upon the bonds of the trustees.

So carefully and fully does the hereinabove referred to law guard against the payment of such unauthorized indebtedness that it is made the duty of the advisory boards to institute and prosecute in the name of the state suits for the recovery of money paid in this manner.

I point out that the law is not content with leaving the prosecution of suits to recover such unauthorized payments exclusively in the hands of the advisory boards but goes further and gives such right to any tax payer of the township if the advisory boards fail on the written demand of any tax payer for thirty days to bring such suit.

The warrants described in the preamble are clearly within the inhibition of the above referred to, and in part quoted, law and the Enrolled Act now returned without Executive approval has for its purpose and object the removal of the warrants from the inhibition of the present statute. The justification for such removal apparently is that the indebtedness is just and that the townships received the benefit of the services rendered and of the money lent.

This basis for the determination of debts against townships is not the basis of determination set out in the above quoted law. If the basis of determination fixed by the law which I have in part quoted is not just or proper then it is within the power of the General Assembly to repeal or amend said Act.

It is not deemed the part of Executive wisdom to give approval to this Enrolled Act which removes certain special claims from the operation of the present law.

Respectfully,

JAMES P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.  
Indianapolis, 1917.

Message from the Governor.

February 28, 1917.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House  
of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House Enrolled Bills Nos. 274, 27, 291, 148, 263, 239, 194, 222, 94, 16, 196 and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 627, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Total none.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 628, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Eisterhold, Habermel, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Montgomery, Mosier, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Westrick, Woods, Yoder. Total, 27.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 57.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down House Bill No. 567, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Har-

Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Buller, Curry, Walker, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to which was referred Engrossed House Bills Nos. 678, 412, 571, 426, also Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222, begs leave to report that it has compared the engrossed bills with the original House Bills and finds said bills correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT.

House Bill No. 693, by Dynes:

A bill for an act to amend sections twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22) of an act entitled "An act concerning elections, providing penalties for the violation of the same, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith," approved March 6, 1889.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Elections.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 64, 244, 429, also Engrossed House Bills Nos. 122, 265, 463, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,

Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House adjourn to meet at 7:30 this evening.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

### WEDNESDAY EVENING.

February 28, 1917.

The House met at 7:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 532, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson,



Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 69.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 646, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Behmer, Buller, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Woods, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 41.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Harmon, Hoffman, Hyland, Krieg, Mason, Miltenberger, Moore, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Southard, Swain, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Wright of Randolph. Total, 30.

It was declared that the bill failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 512, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 610, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Houghton, Overmyer, Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 615, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Cook, Davis of Lake, Day, Dil-

worth, Douglas, Durham, Dyne, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Sipe, Southard, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 32.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Geddes, Grube, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 40.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 640, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Durham offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 640 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By adding the following at the end of line fifty-seven (57), section one (1), "Provided further that nothing herein contained shall apply to any person or persons escaping or attempting to escape from the Indiana State Farm."

By inserting the word "of" after the word "request" and before the words "the prosecuting" in line 17 of section 1.

By adding the words "Section 2" before the word "Whereas" on line 58, section one (1), and by renumbering the lines 59 and 60 "2 and 3;" and by

striking out the word "enforce" on line 59 and 60 and by inserting the words "in force" in lieu thereof.

DURHAM.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Swain offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 640, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

SWAIN.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 75.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Coggins, Day, Houghton, Mr. Speaker. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Kimmel offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 640 to read as follows:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section forty-two (42) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public offenses,' approved March 10, 1905," approved March 5, 1909.

KIMMEL.

Which amendment was adopted.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 650, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Jameson, Kuhlman, Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 670, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Eikenberry, Gentry, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Henke, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 47.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Clapp, Cooper, Dynes, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Jameson, Kuhlman, McNagney, Montgomery, O'Leary, Osborn, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Yoder. Total, 26.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 484, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagney, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Southard, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 62.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Clapp, Houghton, Lafuze, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Ryan, Sipe, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 11.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 21, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Mosier offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the vote taken upon House Bill No. 437, February 21, 1917, be reconsidered.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 41.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Curry, Davis of Jay, Durham, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Haslanger, Hoffman, Hougham, Jacoby, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Southard, Symons, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 33.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 675, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Harmon moved that the further consideration of House Bill No. 675 be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Miller moved to lay that motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

Motion of Mr. Harmon prevailed and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House adjourned to meet at 9:30 Thursday morning, March 1, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk House of Representatives.

## THURSDAY MORNING.

March 1, 1917.

The House met at 9:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Chas. M. Fillmore, Pastor Hillsdale Christian Church of Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon,

Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jamieson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder.

Mr. Speaker. Total, 87.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Green, Hepler, Johnson of Grant, Mosier, Osborn, Swain, Tucker, Turner. Total, 13.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, February 28, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 324, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to which was referred House Bill No. 421, has had the same under considera-

tion and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 690, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 87, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 403, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Reformatory Institutions, to which was referred House Bill No. 546, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House

with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MASON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 18, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MENDENHALL.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 138, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

Which report was not adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 491, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MENDENHALL.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 337, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 462, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 559, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASLEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 693, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 592, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 293, has had

the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 477, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 625, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 23, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 140, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recom-

mendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 102, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 49, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 141, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred House Bill No. 341, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted.



MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 681, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McCLASKEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 281, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DAVIS of Lake,  
WOODS,  
BEHMER,  
YODER,  
SYMONS,  
WRIGHT of Randolph,  
HABERMEL,  
GENTRY,  
JINNETT,  
HASLANGER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 281, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

WILLIAMS.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report of the committee.

The minority report was not substituted.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 349, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BULLER,  
BAYER,  
HOUGHTON,  
VESEY.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 349, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER,  
TURNER,  
CURRY,  
LAFUZE,  
DYNES,  
KIMMEL,  
McNAGNY.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report of the committee.

The minority report was substituted.

The House concurred in the substituted report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 315, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to

the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

KESSLER,  
JACOBY,  
BURTT,  
GENTRY,  
HARRIS,  
HARKER,  
WRIGHT.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 315, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HOUGHTON,  
RYAN,  
DAVIS,  
JINNETT.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report of the committee.

The minority report was not substituted.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 105, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 273, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report

the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BLACKMORE,  
HOUGHTON,  
MILES,  
HEPLER.  
MASON,  
OVERMYER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 273, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

GRUBE,  
BAYER,  
WRIGHT,  
MUSHETT,  
ROBERTSON,  
HARRIS.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report of the committee.

The minority report was not substituted.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 196, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 259, has had the same

under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out section four (4) of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section. 4. This act shall be in force and effect from and after the 1st day of December, 1918."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

McGONAGLE,  
HARKER,  
BULLER,  
WILLIAMS,  
DILWORTH,  
KIMMEL,  
SIPE,  
BLACKMORE,  
GENTRY.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 259, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

Cravens,  
Durham,  
Hartke,  
McNagny.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was not carried and the minority report was not substituted for the majority report.

The question being on the adoption of the majority report.

The report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Parks,

to which was referred House Bill No. 553, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HOUGHTON.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Insurance, to which was referred House Bill No. 692, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out section two (2) and renumbering section three (3) as section two (2) and renumbering section four (4) as number three (3), and when so amended that said bill do pass.

McCLASKEY.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 193, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McGONAGLE,  
GENTRY,  
Cravens,  
McNAGNY,  
HARTKE,  
DURHAM,  
BLACKMORE,  
HARKER,  
BULLER,  
KIMMEL,  
WILLIAMS,  
DILWORTH,

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 193, has had the same under consideration and begs

leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SIPE.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report of the committee.

The minority report was not substituted.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 64, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act to limit the bringing of actions against fire insurance companies, both stock and mutual, organized under the laws of the State of Indiana.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 429, by Senator Hemp-hill:

A bill for an act authorizing school townships and the corresponding civil townships to borrow money and issue bonds to purchase school grounds and erect school houses in certain cases.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on County and Townships.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 344, by Senator Simmons

A bill for an act adopting a State Banner.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 118, by Senator Hagerty:

A bill for an act relative to settlement of certain claims growing out of deaths caused by wrongful act or omission.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 121, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act to amend section three hundred forty-six (346) of an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings in civil cases," approved April 7, 1881.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 185, by Senator Mercer:

A bill for an act entitled, an act authorizing and empowering the township trustee of Peru township, in Miami county, Indiana, to transfer the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) from the township fund to the special school fund of said township.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 250, by Senator Mercer:

A bill for an act entitled an act to amend sections 59, 60 and 61 of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents, to cause provision to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employes; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employes in the course of employment; to provide methods of insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915, and declaring an emergency.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 327, by Senator Bird:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section eight (8) of an act entitled 'An act to amend sections 595, 596, 598, 599, 602, 607, 609 and 611, and repealing section 600 of an act entitled an act concerning public offenses, approved March 10, 1905, of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, approved March 9, 1907, and providing for the distribution and use of the fund accruing," approved March 6, 1913.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 348, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act to amend section twelve (12) of an act entitled "An act concerning common schools in cities having a population of more than one hundred thousand, providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1899.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 115, by Senator McCray:

A bill for an act to reimburse Henry W. Bullock for money paid out and expended by him for investigating the comparative efficiency cost and justice of laws concerning industrial accidents and compensation of injured employes and declaring an emergency.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 192 by Senator Simmons:

A bill for an act fixing the salary of health officers in all cities and counties and repealing all laws in conflict and declaring an emergency.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 225, by Senator Simmons:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for a general system of common schools, the officers thereof, and their respective powers and duties, and matters properly connected therewith, and prescribing the fees for certain officers therein named, and for the establishment and regulation of township libraries, and to repeal all laws inconsistent therewith, providing penalties therein prescribed, approved March 6, 1865, and adding supplemental sections thereto' approved March 8, 1873," approved March 7, 1905.

Which was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 236, by Senator Hemphill:

A bill for an act fixing the minimum salary to be paid county recorders in the State of Indiana.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 14, by Senator Beardsley:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to article two (2) of the constitution of the State of Indiana, adding thereto a further section to be numbered section fifteen (15) which section provides how females who are citizens of the United States, shall qualify as electors.

The resolution was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 213, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 87.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

It was so ordered.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Clapp, Cook, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Moore, O'Leary, Overmyer, Sambor, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 47.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Coggins, Cooper, Douglas, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Green, Griffin, Harker, Henke, Hoffman, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Mr. Speaker. Total, 38.

It was declared the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, MaNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Turner, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 59.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Walker, Westfall. Total, 25.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Senate Bill No. 156, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook,

Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNaghy, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Tucker, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 66.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Durham, McGonagle, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Robertson, Symons, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 13.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bill No. 91 and Senate Enrolled concurrent Resolution No. 1.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle the House adjourned to meet at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

March 1, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 1, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 75.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 36 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, and Yoder. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Governor has approved Senate Enrolled Bill No. 435 and the same has been deposited with the Secretary of State.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform



the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 329 and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 120, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total 76.

Those voting in the negative were:

None:

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 30, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 76.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 15, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Nepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 66.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bonham, Douglas, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Montgomery, Mr. Speaker. Total 10.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Act No. 463.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 98, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham,

Buller, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Clapp, Downey, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Harker, Haslanger, Miller\* of Tippecanoe and Warren, Swain, Vesey, Woods. Total, 11.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 8, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris,

Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hesson, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Kessler, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Green, Henke, Hoffman, Hougham, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Krieg, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Robertson, Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 10.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 106, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Read offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 106 be referred to a committee of one, Chairman of Judiciary B, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By adding to said engrossed Senate bill following the last section thereof three new and additional sections to be numbered as follows:

Section 2. That whenever there is a platted, unincorporated cemetery adjoining or contiguous to any cemetery incorporated under the laws of this state, upon the petition in writing signed by a majority of those owning lots in such unincorporated cemetery, being

nied with the board of trustees of the board of directors of such incorporated cemetery association to extend its boundaries so as to include the grounds of such unincorporated cemetery, then such incorporated cemetery association shall have the power to so extend its boundaries so as to include such platted unincorporated cemetery.

Section 3. Whenever any such platted but unincorporated cemetery shall have been included within the bounds of an incorporated cemetery association as provided for in section two of this act, such incorporated association shall have the power to levy an assessment against each lot therein to provide a fund with which to maintain said lots and provide for their upkeep. That if the owner of any lot shall fail to pay said assessment as herein provided for, within the time fixed by the by-laws of said cemetery association so taking over the same, then said incorporated cemetery after thirty days notice in writing to the owner of said lot or half lot, or when the address of said owner is unknown, then by publishing said notice in some newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the county where said cemetery is located once each week for a period of two weeks, that at the expiration of thirty days from the date of the publication of the last notice as provided for herein that unless such assessments are paid within the time prescribed by said notice, then such incorporated cemetery shall have the right to sell any lot or half lot which is not occupied by any grave to satisfy such unpaid assessments.

Section 4. That any such incorporated cemetery which shall have taken over any such unincorporated cemetery as herein provided for may, instead of levying the assessment as provided for in section three of this act, shall have the right to receive a fixed amount from any lot owner in said cemetery in full satisfaction of all future

assessments against such lot or said owner for the upkeep and maintenance of the same. Such money so received shall be held by said cemetery association as a fund for the upkeep and maintenance of such lot and shall be invested by said cemetery association and the income only shall be expended in the care of the lots upon whose accounts such fixed sum was paid, and thereafter such incorporated cemetery shall keep and care for said lots. Provided, however, nothing herein contained shall apply to any association or unincorporated cemetery in which the interment of dead bodies has heretofore been forbidden by ordinance passed by any city in this state, or which has been condemned for use for interring dead bodies by the action of any local or state board of health.

READ.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Vesey offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 106, with specific instruction to amend begs leave to report that it has had the same under consideration and has amended the same as directed, as follows:

By adding to said engrossed Senate bill following the last section thereof three new and additional sections to be numbered as follows:

Section 2. That whenever there is a platted unincorporated cemetery adjoining or contiguous to any cemetery incorporated under the laws of this state, upon the petition in writing signed by a majority of those owning lots in such unincorporated cemetery, being filed with the board of trustees or the board of directors of such incorporated cemetery association to extend its boundaries so as to include

the grounds of such unincorporated cemetery, then such incorporated cemetery association shall have the power to so extend its boundaries so as to include such platted unincorporated cemetery.

Section 3. Whenever any such platted but unincorporated cemetery shall have been included within the bounds of an incorporated cemetery association as provided for in section two of this act, such incorporated association shall have the power to levy an assessment against each lot therein to provide a fund with which to maintain said lots and provide for their upkeep. That if the owner of any lot shall fail to pay said assessment as herein provided for, within the time fixed by the by-laws of said cemetery association so taking over the same, then said incorporated cemetery after thirty days notice in writing to the owner of said lot or half lot, or when the address of said owner is unknown, then by publishing said notice in some newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the county where said cemetery is located once each week for a period of two weeks, that at the expiration of thirty days from the date of the publication of the last notice as provided for herein that unless such assessments are paid within the time prescribed by said notice, then such incorporated cemetery shall have the right to sell any lot or half lot which is not occupied by any grave to satisfy such unpaid assessments.

Section 4. That any such incorporated cemetery which shall have taken over any such unincorporated cemetery as herein provided for may, instead of levying the assessment as provided for in section three of this act, shall have the right to receive a fixed amount from any lot owner in said cemetery in full satisfaction of all future assessments against such lot of said owner for the upkeep and main-

tenance of the same. Such money so received shall be held by said cemetery association as a fund for the upkeep and maintenance of such lot and shall be invested by said cemetery association and the income only shall be expended in the care of the lots upon whose accounts such fixed sum was paid, and thereafter such incorporated cemetery shall keep and care for said lots. Provided, however, nothing herein contained shall apply to any association or unincorporated cemetery in which the interment of dead bodies has heretofore been forbidden by ordinance passed by any city in this state, or which has been condemned for use for interring dead bodies by the action of any local or state board of health.

VESEY.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, McClaskey, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Read, Sambor, Scott Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cravens, Gorski, Harmon, Henke, Hougham, Houghton, Lafuze

O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Walker, Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 16.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Read offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the title to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 106 be amended as follows:

By adding after the figure five (5) at the end of said title a comma, and the following "concerning unincorporated cemeteries, their management and maintenance."

READ.

Which motion was adopted.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 8, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line seven (7), of section one (1), the words "five and one-half" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four."

By striking out section two (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 2. Section three (3) of the above entitled act is hereby repealed and the state finance board is authorized to transfer any sums of money now or hereafter collected under the terms and provisions of said section three (3) to the general fund save and except the sum of three hundred

forty thousand dollars which said sum shall then be deposited in some one or more accredited depositories at the highest rate of interest obtainable and kept so deposited from time to time until authority be received from the Congress of the United States to turn over the same to Purdue University in discharge of the obligation due said University and when said authority shall have been granted said finance board is hereby authorized to turn over said fund to Purdue University in discharge of the debt due said University by reason of the holding of said fund in trust by the State of Indiana for said University."

That the names of representative Cravens and McGonagle be endorsed on said bill as joint authors. That when so amended that said bill do pass.

McGONAGLE.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill No. 9, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

McGONAGLE.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. McGonagle moved to suspend the rules requiring the bills to be read on three separate days. That House Bills Nos. 8 and 9 be read a second time, ordered engrossed, read a third time and put upon their passage.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Vesey. Total, 1.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

House Bill No. 8 was read a second time, ordered engrossed, read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall House Bill No. 8 pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of

Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 77.

There were none voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title to engrossed House Bill No. 8, by inserting in line 1 of said title after the word "one" the figure "(1)".

By inserting in line two (2) of said title after the word "three" the figure "(3)".

By inserting before the word "repealing" in line seventeen (17) of said title the following:

"Approved March 10, 1913, and authorizing the state finance board to deposit the sum of three hundred forty thousand dollars in accredited depositories for the purpose of discharging the debt due Purdue University and providing for the transfer of the balance remaining in the sinking fund to the general fund;"

Cravens.

Which motion was adopted.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

House Bill No. 9 was read a second time, ordered engrossed, read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall House Bill No. 9 pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Vesey. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 149, 421,

267, 226, 158, 338, 390, and Engrossed House Bill No. 635, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 199, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bonham, Mr. Speaker. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 135, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were: None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 25, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?



The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 77.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 262, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Walker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Senate Bill No. 262 be referred to a committee of one, the gentleman from Jasper, W. L. Wood, the chairman of the Committee on Drains and Dikes, with specific directions to amend as follows:

By striking out of section four (4), line eight (8) of the printed engrossed bill the words "of the assessments" and inserting in lieu thereof the following words "of the actual cost of construction.

WALKER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Wood offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 262, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as instructed.

WOOD.

Which report was adopted, and amendment ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 71.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Mr. Speaker. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message to the House.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 391; and Engrossed House Bills Nos. 328, 432, 501, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK.  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has recalled Engrossed House Bills Numbers 101 and 168, for the purpose of making correction in said bills, and hereby respectfully request that the same be delivered to the Secretary of the Senate.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Miltenberger moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate for the return of House Bills Nos. 101 and 168.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 209, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HYLAND.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Public Libraries, to which was referred Senate Bill No.

127, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MASON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 337, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Act No. 167.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 344, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DILWORTH.

Which report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Mendenhall the House adjourned to meet at 9 o'clock Friday morning, March 2, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

FRIDAY MORNING.

March 2, 1917.

The House met at 9:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Henry Gekeler, pastor of Central Avenue Church, Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 78.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Blackmore, Cronin, Duffey, Durham, Green, Harmon, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Krieg, McClaskey, McGonagle, Montgomery, Overmyer, Scott, Sipe, Southard, Waltz, Tucker, Winesburg, Davis of Lake. Total, 22.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, March 1, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Symons the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the committees to be called for reports.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate

Bill No. 18, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 244, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 139, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 131, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 300, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 481, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all after the enacting clause and in lieu thereof insert the following:

That there shall be an attorney general for the State of Indiana, who shall be appointed by the governor, the first appointment under the provisions of this act shall be made January 17, 1919, and the first appointee shall serve until January 15, 1921. Thereafter the appointment shall be made on January 15th for a term of two (2) years and until his successor is appointed and qualified. The attorney general after January 15, 1919, may be removed by the governor for cause after hearing.

Section 2. Before entering upon the discharge of the duties of his office, he shall take and subscribe an oath of office, to be administered to him in the usual form by an officer authorized to administer oaths, which oath shall be deposited in the office of the secretary of state. He shall, also, previous to entering upon the duties of said office, file with secretary of state a bond to the approval of the secretary of state in the penal sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) payable to State of Indiana, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties. The attorney general shall receive an annual salary of seventy-five hundred (\$7,500.00) dollars and his necessary traveling expenses while engaged in official business. The attorney general shall appoint his assistants, deputies and clerks now provided by law and employ such legal, clerical and other assistants as may be necessary for the proper conduct of his office.

Section 3. The attorney general shall prosecute and defend all suits that may be instituted by or against the State of Indiana, the prosecution and defense of which is not otherwise provided for by law, whenever he shall have been given ten (10) days' notice of the pendency thereof by the clerk of the court in which such suits are pending, and whenever required by the governor, in writing, to be furnished him within a reasonable time; and he shall represent the state in all criminal cases in the supreme court or appellate court, and shall defend all suits brought against the state or state officers, boards, commissions, institutions or superintendents, in their official relation, except suits brought against them by the state; and shall be required to attend to the interest of the state in all suits, actions or claims in which the state is or may become interested in the supreme court of this state.

Section 4. The attorney general shall have charge of and prosecute all civil actions which shall hereafter be brought, either in the name of the State of Indiana, or in the name of the State of Indiana on the relation of the attorney general, or on the relation of any state board created by general law; and any such action may be brought or prosecuted by the attorney general in person or by deputy and assistants, and any relief to which the state is or shall be entitled in any civil action may therein be obtained without filing any bond either for costs or damages. Provided, That nothing shall herein be taken to effect the authority now given by law to prosecuting attorneys to prosecute civil actions nor to prevent the attorney general from employing necessary assistants.

Section 5. The attorney general shall be required to attend to the interests of the state in all suits, actions or claims in which the state is or may

become interested in the supreme court or appellate court of this state.

Section 6. The attorney general shall not, in any case, be required to exhibit in court his authority for appearing in and conducting the prosecution or defense of any such suit, unless his authority be denied under oath, in which case his commission shall be all the evidence required.

Section 7. The attorney general shall be required to give his legal opinion to the governor whenever requested to do so, touching any question or point of law in which the interests of the state may be involved; to give his opinion to any other state officer, touching any question or point of law concerning the duties of any such officer and such other officers as are by this act required to accept his services, and likewise, to either house of the general assembly, on the constitutionality of any existing or proposed law, whenever required so to do by resolution of such house; and he shall not be required to advise any other officer or person.

Section 8. It shall be the duty of the attorney general to keep a record of all opinions given by him to the governor, the general assembly, or to any of the state officers, and an accurate account of all moneys collected or received by him, in substantially bound books, and to pay over to the proper officer all moneys collected at the end of each month; and he shall also keep a record of all criminal cases pending in the supreme court or appellate court, and of all civil cases in which it is his duty to appear.

Section 9. That the attorney general is hereby authorized by and with the approval of the governor to employ one (1) or more assistants, residing in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, to assist him in the presentation and prosecution of claims of the state against the United States, per-

taining to swamp lands, or swamp land indemnity, as he may think necessary.

Section 10. The attorney general shall have power to limit the duration of such employment, and, if not otherwise expressed in the contract of employment, same shall cease with the term of the attorney general making such employment.

Section 11. It shall be the duty of the attorney general to make a biennial report to the governor of the business of his office, and to make a report to the auditor of state at the end of each fiscal year of all collections made by him and the manner of disbursement.

Section 12. The attorney general is hereby authorized, directed and required to take charge of, conduct manage and prosecute, and have the control of any and all suits and proceedings now pending or which may hereafter be instituted in the name of the state of Indiana, on the relation of the State of Indiana, by any prosecuting attorney, against any railroad companies or corporations in the nature of quo warranto or otherwise, and to adjust, settle or compromise any and all claims the state may have against such company or corporation, in such manner and on such terms as he may think proper, and receive payment of such claim in money, bonds, stock or mortgages, which money, bonds, stock or mortgages shall, by such company or corporation, be paid over to the treasurer of state, under the direction of the attorney general: Provided, That any suit or suits now pending, or which may hereafter be brought, shall be dismissed, adjusted, settled or compromised whenever the same shall be directed in writing by the governor and upon such terms and conditions as he and the attorney general shall determine.

Section 13. No office, officer, board, commission or institution shall employ any counsel in any case or matter or for

any purpose except upon the authority and under the direction of the governor, given in writing to such office, officer, board, commission or institution, except the attorney general, it being the intent of this act that all legal work done by counsel shall be performed by the attorney general, except as herein otherwise provided.

Section 14. Such law books as the supreme court, in their judgment, shall deem necessary for use in the attorney general's office shall be purchased and paid for out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 15. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed and the provisions of this act shall not be so construed as to interfere with the present incumbent in the office of attorney general, who shall serve until the 15th of January, 1919, and shall appoint all assistants, deputies clerks and other assistants, and shall choose the same at his option and discretion until said date.

And when so amended bill do pass.

MILLER,  
JINNETT,  
SIPE,  
KIMMEL,  
YODER,  
HOUGHTON,  
HARKER.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 481, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARTKE,  
MCNAGNY.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report of the committee.

The question was lost and the minority report was not substituted.

The House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 346, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the said bill be indefinitely postponed.

JINNETT,  
MENDENHALL,  
WESTRICK,  
JOHNSON,  
MILES,  
MOSIER,  
MILLER,  
CLAPP.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 346, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HEPLER,  
OSBORN,  
HENKE,  
WALKER.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report?

Which question was lost, and the minority report of the committee was not substituted for the majority report.

The majority report of the committee was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 247, has had the same under

consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 293, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred House Bill No. 660, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 52, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of

Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 77.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Durham, Mr. Speaker. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 114, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett,

O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 75.

Those voting in the negative were:  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 161, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dilworth arises to a point of order, the point being that an identical and similar bill had been indefinitely postponed by the House.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Dilworth and Westfall a committee to investigate the facts and report.

The committee reports and the Speaker decides that the point of order is not well taken.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Bulter, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White,

Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Tucker, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 67.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Bayer, Dilworth, Eisterhold, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Jinnett, McNagny, Moore, Osborn, Overmyer, Sambor, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Woods, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 23.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 202, 270, 465, 175, 282, and also Engrossed House Bills Nos. 171, 235, 253 with amendments; also Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 16, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed to inform the House that Engrossed House Bills Nos. 101 and 168, that were returned from the House to the Senate for amendments,



have been amended and the same are herewith transmitted, with the engrossed amendments, for the further action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 202, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 86.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Miltenberger moved that the House do now concur in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bills Nos. 101 and 168.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 101, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bonham, Cravens, Cronin, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hougham, O'Leary, Osborn, Tucker, Williams, Mr. Speaker. Total, 14.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Montgomery moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 235.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Jinnett moved to reconsider the vote on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 101, and that motion be laid on the table.

Mr. Cravens moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 171.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Mendenhall moved that the House do now concur in the Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 253.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 204, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Cravens moved to indefinitely postpone the bill.

Mr. Kimmel moved to lay that motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. Miller moved that the bill be made a special order for 3 o'clock today.

Messrs. Cravens and Turner demanded the ayes and noes.

The question being, on the motion of Mr. Miller.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dyne, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Hesson, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Bonham, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick. Total, 32.

The bill was made a special order for 3:00 o'clock today.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 29, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham,

Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Har-ker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, West-riek, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Ran-dolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 84.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Downey, Eisterhold, Har-mon, Robertson. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 17 which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski,

Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoff-man, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, West-riek, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 79.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 286 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Clapp moved to make the bill a special order for 11 o'clock tomorrow.

Motion is lost.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dil-worth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harmon, Harris,

Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:  
Messrs. Durham, Griffin. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Governor.

March 1, 1917.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House enrolled Bill No. 100 and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at two o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

March 2, 1917.

The House met at 2:00 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 266, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended by adding after section one the following:

SECTION 2. That the term "petroleum oil" as used in this act shall be construed to mean petroleum oil and products thereof used for light, fuel and the production of power, but shall not include those products of petroleum oil which distill at a temperature lower than three hundred (300) degrees centigrade.

SECTION 3. All petroleum oil as defined in section one (1) of this act, whether manufactured in this state or not, shall be subject to inspection and test by the state oil inspector of this state in the way and manner provided in this act, before the same can lawfully be sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state, which inspection and test shall be for the purpose of ascertaining whether the petroleum oil complies with the requirements of the standards of safety and purity which the state oil inspector is in section seven (7) of this act authorized and directed to establish.

SECTION 4. The chemist of the state board of health shall by virtue of his employment as chemist of the state board of health be and he hereby is made state oil inspector and the duties devolving upon him under this act shall be additional to his duties as chemist of the state board of health. While performing any duty cast upon him by this

act he shall be known as the state oil inspector. He shall make and subscribe an oath faithfully and honestly to perform all the duties required of him under this act and shall file the same in the office of the secretary of state, and shall execute a bond to the state of Indiana, in the penal sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), with surety to be approved by the secretary of state, conditioned upon the faithful performance by him of all duties imposed upon him by this act, which bond shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state. The state oil inspector shall at all times maintain an office in the city of Indianapolis, Indiana, and he is hereby empowered and authorized to appoint not to exceed three (3) deputies, which deputies when appointed by him, together with the deputies of the pure food and drug department, are hereby authorized to take samples of petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state, for use in this state, and submit the same to the state oil inspector for testing and inspection under this act. The state oil inspector may appoint one (1) chief chemist and one (1) assistant chemist for such laboratory and one (1) clerk for the general work of his office as state oil inspector. The salary of the state oil inspector, additional to his salary as chemist to the state board of health, and the salary of the deputies, chief chemist, assistant chemist and clerk, whose appointments are provided for in this section, shall be fixed by the governor, and shall be paid out of the oil inspection fund, if the money in such fund be sufficient to pay the same, otherwise, out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

The state oil inspector is hereby authorized to purchase and install such laboratory equipment as may be necessary for the testing and inspection of petroleum oil under this act in an

amount to be approved by the governor and the same shall be paid for out of the state treasury. The state oil inspector may remove for cause any of the deputies, or the chief chemist, or the assistant chemist or the clerk, whose appointments are provided for in this section, at any time and appoint others in their places. The deputies, chief chemist, assistant chemist or clerk shall be allowed and paid their expenses while traveling in the discharge of any duty under this act.

SECTION 5. Before any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person may lawfully sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured in this state or not, for use in this state except as provided in section five (5) of this act he shall obtain from the state oil inspector a certificate authorizing him to make such sale, offer or exposure for sale, which certificate, to be known as a certificate of permission, shall be issued to him by the state oil inspector only after the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person desiring such certificate shall have fully complied with the provisions of this section, relative to such application. Any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person desiring to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured, in this state or not, shall make an application in writing to the state oil inspector for permission to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state petroleum oil, which application shall state the name and business address of the applicant and shall contain statements that the applicant, if a certificate of permission be issued to him by the state oil inspector, agrees to pay to the state oil inspector a fee or charge of one fourth

of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) for each and every gallon of petroleum oil sold by the applicant for the first time in this state for use in this state from and after the issuance of the certificate of permission, and that the applicant will at all times comply fully and promptly with each and every requirement of this act. The application shall be signed by the applicant, and shall be kept permanently on file in the office of the state oil inspector.

At the time of the filing of the application for the issuance of the certificate of permission the applicant shall also file with the state oil inspector at his office a bond with surety to the approval of the state oil inspector securing and guaranteeing the payments by the applicant of any and all sums to become payable to the state oil inspector from the sales of petroleum oil for the first time in this state for use in this state by the applicant, under the provisions of this act from and after the date of the certificate of permission.

Upon the filing of such application and bond, if each complies with the requirements of this act, and if the bond be approved by the state oil inspector, the state oil inspector shall issue to the applicant a certificate of permission for the sale, offer or exposure for sale by the applicant for the first time in this state for use in this state petroleum oil of the standards of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the issuance of the certificate of permission. No permission shall at any time be given by the state oil inspector to any applicant to sell, offer or expose for sale any petroleum oil of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the issuance of the certificate of permission, and such permission, if given, shall be null and void and shall afford no protection in the case of any pros-

ecution for any violation of any of the provisions of this act to any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall have obtained such a certificate and while holding such certificate shall have sold, offered or exposed for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time the petroleum oil was sold, offered or exposed for sale.

All certificates of permission issued prior to February 1, 1918, shall end on February 1, 1918, and shall be null and void for any purpose after February 1, 1918. All certificates of permission issued after February 1, 1918, shall end on February 1st, following the date of issuance and no certificate shall be issued for a longer time than February 1st, immediately following the date of issuance.

It shall be unlawful for any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil until the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall have first obtained from the state oil inspector the certificate of permission required by this section.

Any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil without having first obtained from the state oil inspector a certificate of permission as required in this section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a penalty and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000) or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each sale, and

each offer and each exposure for sale, shall be and is hereby made a separate offense. The words "sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state" used in this and other sections of this act are hereby declared to refer to and mean the first sale, offer or exposure for sale of petroleum oil made in this state while the petroleum oil is in this state.

SECTION 6. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person desiring to sell for the first time in this state any petroleum oil for use in this state whether manufactured in this state or not, shall desire to pay the charge or fee per gallon fixed in section six (6) of this act, in case at the time of such sale without the issuance of any certificate of permission to him as required in section four (4) of this act, he shall be permitted to make such sale without the issuance of such certificate of permission to him, provided he complies with the requirements of this section. He shall, at the time of such sale, report in writing under oath to the state oil inspector the correct number of gallons of the kind of petroleum oil sold by him and shall state in said written report the name or names, with the places of residence, of the persons to whom the petroleum oil has been sold, and shall pay to the state oil inspector at the time of the making of such sale and report the fee of one fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) per gallon as fixed in section six (6) of this act. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person availing himself of the privilege under this section of paying in cash the charge or fee at the time of the sale without the issuance of a certificate of permission to him, shall make any false statement in the report under oath required to be made by him under this section to the state oil inspector, he shall be guilty of perjury, and upon conviction shall

suffer the penalty prescribed by law for perjury.

SECTION 6. Every manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to whom a certificate of permission shall have been issued by the state oil inspector shall pay to the state oil inspector monthly a fee or charge of one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) for each and every gallon of petroleum oil sold by him for the first time in this state for use in this state whether manufactured in this state or not. Every manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to whom a certificate of permission shall have been issued by the state oil inspector, shall not later than the tenth day of each month make a statement in writing, under oath, to the state oil inspector, giving the correct number of gallons of petroleum oil of all kinds sold, for the first time in this state for use in this state, by such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person for the calendar month immediately preceding the date of said monthly report. which statement shall be filed by the state oil inspector and shall be permanently kept on file by him in his office. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall make a false statement of the number of gallons sold he shall be guilty of perjury, and upon conviction, shall suffer the penalty prescribed by law for perjury. At the time of the making of the sworn monthly statement of the number of gallons of petroleum oil sold in this state for the calendar month preceding the date of the said report to the state oil inspector, the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall have sold the number of gallons set out in the sworn statement, shall pay to the state oil inspector one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) for each and every gallon shown by the

sworn statement to have been sold for the first time in this state for use in this state the preceding calendar month. Said amount shall be due and payable to the state oil inspector without any demand for the payment on the part of the state oil inspector. It shall be and is hereby made the duty of the state oil inspector to make out a list of all manufacturers, jobbers, wholesalers, importers, dealers, agents or persons who fail, refuse or neglect to pay to the state oil inspector the amount due as shown by the said sworn statement and within ten (10) days after the tenth day of the month in which the amount was due and payable give such list to the attorney general of this state, and said attorney general shall at once take action to collect the same from such delinquent manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person and from the surety on his bond. If the tenth day of any month shall fall on a legal holiday then the monthly report and payment required by this section shall be made to the state oil inspector on the first day not a legal holiday following the tenth day of the month. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall fail, refuse or neglect to make said written and sworn statement as required by this section, showing the number of gallons of petroleum oil sold the preceding calendar month, or shall fail or refuse or neglect to pay the amount due under this act on or before the tenth day of the month immediately following, then the state oil inspector shall at once revoke and cancel the certificate of permission issued to such delinquent, and said delinquent after said revocation or cancellation shall have no right to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil until a new certificate shall have been issued to him, and,

if he shall sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil after his certificate has been revoked and cancelled by the state oil inspector and before a new certificate shall have been issued to him by the state oil inspector, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each sale, and each offer or exposure for sale shall be and is hereby made a separate offense.

SECTION 7. All petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state whether manufactured in this state or not, shall at all times be safe and pure and afford a satisfactory light when used for illuminating purposes, a satisfactory motive power when used for power purposes and a satisfactory fuel when used for fuel purposes. To the end that all petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in the state for use in this state shall afford a satisfactory light when used for illuminating purposes and a satisfactory motive power when used for power purposes and a satisfactory fuel when used for fuel purposes, the state oil inspector is hereby authorized and directed to establish standards of safety and purity for all the different kinds of petroleum oil that lawfully may be sold or offered or exposed for sale within this state for use in this state, which standards shall conform as nearly as possible to the standards of safety and purity established or that may hereafter be established by the United States bureau of standards. The standards of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector shall at all times be kept on file in his office and shall at all reasonable business hours be open for inspection.



tion by all persons who may desire to see and inspect the same. It shall be the duty of the state oil inspector to furnish at any and all times upon request copies of standards of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector to all persons who may request such copies. It shall also be the duty of the state oil inspector to furnish upon request, without any charge, to all persons making a request therefor, the names of all manufacturers, jobbers, wholesalers, importers, dealers, agents or persons holding unrevoked and uncanceled certificates of permission.

For the purpose of obtaining and securing for the users of petroleum oil in this state a satisfactory light when the petroleum oil is used for illuminating purposes, and a satisfactory motive power when the petroleum oil is used for power purposes, and a satisfactory fuel when the petroleum oil is used for fuel purposes, the state oil inspector is hereby authorized to change at the times herein set out the standards of safety and purity of petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state if by any changes in the standards of safety and purity at the times herein set out a more satisfactory light or a more satisfactory motive power or a more satisfactory fuel can be obtained and secured. All standards of safety and purity established under this act prior to February 1, 1918, shall remain in force unchanged until February 1, 1918, at which time any or all of the then existing standards of safety and purity may be changed by the state oil inspector, and on the first day of February in each year thereafter the state oil inspector may change any and all standards of safety and purity. No changes by the state oil inspector shall be made at any other time than the times set forth in this section.

SECTION 8. It shall be unlawful for any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to sell, offer or expose for sale in this state any petroleum oil whether manufactured in this state or not for use in this state, of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of such sale, offer or exposure for sale, and any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person selling, or offering or exposing for sale in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil whether manufactured in this state or not of a lower standard of safety and purity than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of such sale, offer or exposure for sale, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to a penalty, and shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months or both, and each sale shall constitute a separate offense and each day any offer or exposure for sale is made shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 9. It shall be unlawful for any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to sell or offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state any petroleum oil, whether manufactured in this state or not, until after the fee or charge of one fourth of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) for each and every gallon shall have been paid in the way and manner provided in this act, and if any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall sell, or shall offer to sell or shall expose for the purpose of selling any petroleum oil for the first time in this state, for use in this state whether manufactured in this state or not, until

after the payment of the fee or charge of one fourth of one cent ( $\frac{1}{4}$  of 1c) for each and every gallon shall have been paid to the state oil inspector or secured, as provided in this act, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000) or be imprisoned in the county jail not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each sale shall be and is hereby made a separate offense and each day any offer for sale or exposure for sale is made shall be and is hereby made separate offense.

SECTION 10. All money received by the state oil inspector under this act shall be by the state oil inspector paid into the state treasury within ten (10) days from the time the money shall be received by him, and by the state treasurer shall be kept as a separate fund to be known as the oil inspection fund. The money in said fund shall be used for the purposes of defraying the expenses connected with the inspection and testing of petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state under the provisions of this act, and, whereas the public highways of this state are generally and extensively used in the marketing of petroleum oil in this state, and are generally and extensively used by motor driven vehicles, the propelling power of which is gasoline, which is a product of petroleum oil as defined in section one (1) of this act, and whereas such use of the highways of this state for the marketing of petroleum oil subject to inspection and testing by the state oil inspector under the provisions of this act, and such use by motor driven vehicles has done and does do great damage to said highways thereby necessitating continual repair and reconstruction of said highways at great expense, the amount if any remaining in said oil inspection fund after the payment of all lawful expenditures connected with the inspection

and testing of petroleum oil under this act shall on the second Monday in January in each year be by the state treasurer paid to the state highway commission of this state for the repair, reconstruction and maintenance of the public highways of this state under the direction of said state highway commission. If at any time or times the amount in the oil inspection fund shall not be sufficient to pay the lawful charges under this act against said oil inspection fund, then the lawful charges shall be paid out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SECTION 11. It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly to purchase or receive from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state the standard of safety and purity of which is lower than the standard of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the purchase or receipt of the petroleum oil. It shall be unlawful for any person to purchase in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state knowing that such sale was the first sale in this state of the petroleum oil purchased, and also knowing that at the time of the purchase the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person from whom the purchase was made had no certificate of permission to sell, offer or expose for sale petroleum oil for the first time in this state for use in this state as required in section four (4) of this act. It shall be unlawful for any person, knowingly, to purchase for use in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil upon which the fee or charge of one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) per gallon as fixed in this act, had not been secured to the state oil

inspector as provided in section four (4) of this act or paid as provided in section five (5) of this act. If any person shall knowingly purchase or receive from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state the standard of safety and purity of which is lower than the standard of safety and purity established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the purchase or receipt of the petroleum oil; or if any person shall purchase in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil to be used in this state knowing that such sale was the first sale in this state of the petroleum oil purchased, and also knowing that at the time of the purchase the manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person from whom the purchase was made had no certificate of permission to sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state for use in this state petroleum oil as required in section four (4) of this act; or if any person shall knowingly purchase or receive for use in this state from any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person any petroleum oil upon which the fee or charge of one-fourth ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of one cent (\$.01) for every gallon as fixed in this act has not been paid or secured to the state oil inspector as provided in sections four (4) and five (5) of this act, such person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each purchase or receipt of any petroleum oil lower than the standard established by the state oil inspector and in force at the time of the purchase or receipt, and each purchase from any manufac-

turer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person having no certificate of permission, and each purchase or receipt of the petroleum oil upon which the charge or fee had not been paid or secured, shall be and is hereby made a separate offense.

SECTION 12. It shall be the duty of the state oil inspector and his deputies to investigate throughout this state the petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state, and ascertain its standards of safety and purity. In the discharge of this duty the state oil inspector and his deputies, together with the deputies of the pure food and drug department, shall obtain for inspection and testing samples of the petroleum oil sold, offered or exposed for sale in this state for use in this state, and these samples may be obtained by personal visits to the places where the petroleum oil is being sold, offered or exposed for sale, if in the judgment of the state oil inspector such personal visits of himself and the deputies, or any of them, are desirable. It shall be the duty of the state oil inspector to cause prosecutions to be commenced and to be conducted in courts of competent jurisdiction against any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act. It is hereby made the duty of the attorney general of this state to act with the prosecuting attorney of the judicial circuit in which the prosecution has been commenced or is being conducted in the prosecution of any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person violating any of the provisions of this act. The state oil inspector shall give to the attorney general of this state and to the prosecuting attorney all information obtained by him or by his deputies in their investigations for the purpose of assisting the attorney general and prosecut-

ing attorney in all prosecutions under this act. If his presence or the presence of his deputies at the trial shall be requested by the attorney general he and his deputies shall attend at the time and place of the trial.

SECTION 13. The state oil inspector is hereby authorized and given the right to inspect and examine the books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda, of any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person to whom a certificate of permission has been issued by the state oil inspector, and to examine under oath such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person, for the purpose of ascertaining from such books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda, and from such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person, the number of gallons of petroleum oil sold or offered or exposed for sale in this state for consumption in this state at any time or times covered by the certificate of permission, and the brands, names and trademarks under which the petroleum oil was sold, offered or exposed for sale. The state oil inspector is hereby authorized to require by order or subpoena to be served on any such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person in the same manner that a summons is served in a civil action in the circuit court, the production within the state at such time and place as the state oil inspector may designate in the order or subpoena of any books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda, kept by such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person or verified copies in lieu thereof if the state oil inspector shall so direct, in order that an examination thereof may be made by the state oil inspector. The state oil inspector is hereby authorized and empowered with the consent of the governor to employ an expert ac-

countant or accountants to investigate such books and records under his direction and report to the state oil inspector the results of such examination. If any manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall fail, refuse or neglect to produce such requested and designated books, accounts, papers, records and memoranda at the time and place fixed by the state oil inspector in his order or subpoena, or shall refuse to be examined under oath by the state oil inspector at the time and place named by the state oil inspector in the order or subpoena which he is authorized to issue, the state oil inspector shall at once upon such failure, refusal or neglect cancel and revoke the certificate of permission issued to such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person, and if any such manufacturer, jobber, wholesaler, importer, dealer, agent or person shall sell, offer or expose for sale for the first time in this state, any petroleum oil in this state for use in this state after such cancellation or revocation, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a penalty, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be imprisoned in the county jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or both, and each such sale or offer or exposure for sale shall be a separate offense.

SECTION 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July, 1917.

SECTION 15. An act entitled "An act regulating the inspection of oil and other petroleum products providing penalty for its violation, repealing all former laws and laws in conflict therewith," approved March 11, 1901, and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto are hereby repealed.

SECTION 16. In the event the oil inspection fund shall be insufficient in amount to pay the lawful charges under this act against said oil inspection fund, a sum sufficient to carry out the provisions of this act is hereby appropriated annually and the same shall be paid out of the state treasury upon warrants of the auditor of state upon proper vouchers approved by the state oil inspector.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Corporations, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 64, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out section four (4) thereof, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

WOODS.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 226, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By adding to section one (1) the following:

"Any motor vehicle operated in a public street or highway for the carriage of passengers for hire, is a public utility and shall be subject to the provisions of this act known as the Public Utility Commission Act", and when so amended that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred House Bill No. 521, had has the same under

consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Joint Senate Resolution No. 16, by Senator Simmons:

A Joint Resolution concerning Our Country's Honor and Welfare.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 57, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Senate Bill No. 57, so that it will read as follows:

"A bill for an act to provide for the assumption of a proportionate part of the indebtedness of cities, towns or townships and the purchase of school property belonging to school cities, school towns or school townships when territory belonging thereto shall be annexed by any other city, township or incorporated town."

McGONAGLE.

Which motion prevailed and the title was declared amended.

The clerk was instructed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Bills on second reading.

House Bill No. 685, being:

A bill for an act concerning township officers, fixing and regulating their compensation, prescribing their duties, abolishing the office of township road supervisor, providing when this act shall take effect and to repeal laws in conflict therewith.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, by Senator Chambers, being:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend sections 2, 4, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 26, 27 and 33 and to repeal sections 23 and 28 of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof.'"

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Douglas offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed engrossed Senate Bill No. 433 by striking out all of section nine (9), thereof on page five (5); and also by striking out on page seven (7) all of section fifteen (15), and renumber each succeeding section consecutively.

DOUGLAS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McNagney offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed engrossed Senate Bill No. 433 by striking out all of sections ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13) and fourteen (14), and renumbering the other sections when necessary.

McNAGNEY.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the motion was laid on the table.

The bill with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 689, being:

A bill for an act authorizing the governor to take possession of and sell foodstuff whenever necessary to relieve food shortage or to prevent monopoly of food stuffs, and authorizing investigation thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 186, by Senator Metzger, being:

A bill for an act to amend section nineteen (19) of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Houghton offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 186 by adding an additional section thereto, numbered section two (2) as follows:

"Section 2. That the property of every street railway, interurban railway, telegraph and telephone company and every company engaged in the production, transmission, delivery or furnishing of heat, light, water, or power shall be assessed by the state board of tax commissioners as other property is valued in lieu of assessment locally and the board is given power and authority by committee or otherwise to examine persons or papers. The amounts so determined and assessed shall be certified by the auditor of state to the auditors of the proper counties. The auditor of the county shall in like manner distribute the value so certified to him by the auditor of state to the several townships, cities and towns in the county entitled to a proportionate value of such property and the auditor shall compute and extend taxes against such value the same as against other property in such township, cities and towns."

HOUGHTON.

Which report was adopted.

The bill with the amendment was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 173, by Senator Reidelbach, being:

A bill for an act relating to lands heretofore sold by the trustees of the Wabash and Erie Canal, authorizing the auditor of state to execute deeds to the purchasers thereof or their grantees, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 1, 3, 4,

6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 and the same were adopted and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 230, by Senator Hagerty, being:

A bill for an act concerning the practice of law by justices of the peace.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 257, by Senator Kolsem, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act concerning boards of school trustees in cities having a population of more than fifty-five thousand inhabitants and less than sixty-three thousand inhabitants, according to the last preceding United States census, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1911.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 129, by Senator Spaan, being:

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 4, 13, 14, 21 and 27 of an act entitled "An act to provide for a tax on gifts, inheritances, bequests, legacies, devises and successions in certain cases," approved February 28, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 333, by Senator Jackson, being:

A bill for an act to provide a bounty for killing chicken hawks and providing payment therefor.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 276, by Senator Signs, being:

A bill for an act to amend section eight (8) of an act concerning the duties and compensation of the reporter of the supreme court, and sale of the reports

by the state, also defining certain duties of commissioners of public printing and binding, and the secretary and treasurer of state, approved March 9, 1891.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McNaghy offered the following motion:

House motion.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that printed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204 be referred to a committee of one, the gentleman from Marion, Chairman of the Committee on Telephones or Telegraphs to which said bill was referred with specific instructions to amend by striking out section three (3).

McNAGHY.

Mr. Winesburg moves to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

Mr. McNaghy's motion prevailed.

Mr. Kuhlman offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred printed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204, with specific instructions to amend begs leave to report back to the House that said bill has been amended as directed.

KUHLMAN.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Habermel offered the following motion:

House motion.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Senate Bill No. 204 be referred to a committee of one, Mr. Kuhlman, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

To add as follows: Section 3. "This act shall not apply to any company or corporation excepting wherein it is shown to the satisfaction of the public service commission of the State of Indiana, that the stock and securities of said company or corporation are not in excess of the actual appraised value of the physical properties owned and operated by said company or corporation; that it shall be the duty of any company or corporation seeking release under the conditions of this act to make application to the said public service commission of the State of Indiana for such release; that before the provisions of this act shall become operative as relating to any company or corporation already existing in the State of Indiana, the public service commission shall order and conduct a proper and thorough inquiry and appraisal of the properties of such company or corporation and shall issue an order based upon the provisions of this act certifying that the physical properties of such company or corporation are in excess of the stocks and securities outstanding or held in the treasury of such company or corporation."

HABERMEL.

Mr. Kimmel moves to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

Mr. Habermel's motion is lost.

Mr. McGonagle moves the previous question.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.



Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Coggins, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Harker, Harris Hartke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 62.

Those answering in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Blackmore Bonham, Burtt, Clapp, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Day, Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Houghton, Johnson of Grant, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mushett, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Wright of Clay. Total, 30.

The bill was declared passed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 662, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Osborn offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to refer Engrossed House Bill No. 662 to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by striking out of section five (5), line three (3), the word "in" and insert in lieu thereof the word "are"; also, in section five (5), line eight (8), strike out the word "are" and insert in lieu thereof the word "in"; also, in section eight (8), line twenty

(20), strike out the word "not" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nor".

OSBORN.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Habermel offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 662, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that it has amended said bill as directed.

HABERMEL.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burtt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kessler, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 56.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Harker, Hoffman, Houghton, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Read, Scott, Vesey, Winesburg, Wright of Clay, Total, 27.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was instructed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 225, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Bartel Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Hougham, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westrick, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 54.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Buller, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Gorski, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Krieg, Mosier, Overmyer, Robertson, Vesey, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 25.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was instructed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 426, which was read a third time in full.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 80.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 614, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Sambor offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that engrossed House Bill No. 614 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same as follows:

Section one (1) line fifty-five (55) engrossed bill (line 55 printed bill) insert after word "to" and before the word "same" the word "the".

Section one (1), line 143 engrossed bill (line 135 of printed bill) strike out word "thereinbefore" and insert in lieu thereof the word "hereinbefore".

Section one (1), line 390 engrossed bill (line 364 printed bill) strike out word "annual" and insert in lieu thereof the word "annum".

Section one (1), line 453 engrossed bill (line 420 printed bill) strike out word "east" before word "lot" and insert in lieu thereof the word "each".

Section one (1), line 593 engrossed bill (line 544 printed bill) by striking out words and figures "section 156g." inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures following "section two (2)".

Also strike out numbers "544, 545, 546" of printed bill and insert in lieu thereof figures "2" and "3".

SAMBOR.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Sambor offers the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred engrossed house bill No. 614, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as instructed.

SAMBOR.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook,

Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Grube, Habermel, Har-ker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Has-langer, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoff-man, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mc-Naghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mont-gomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Ran-dolph, Yoder. Total, 82.

There were none voting in the nega-tive.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 446, and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 503 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McGonagle arises to a point of order, the point being that the House had indefinitely postponed an identical bill.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Miltenberger and Cook to investigate the facts. They reported and the Speaker declared that the point of order was not well taken.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Cook moved to lay the motion on the table.

Messrs. Cook and Gorski demanded the ayes and noes of the motion to lay on the table.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Axby, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Day, Durham, Dynes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Krieg, McNagny, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Sambor, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Wood. Total, 42.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Buller, Coggins, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Geddes, Har-ker, Harris, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Overmyer, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 38.

The motion was laid on the table.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 501, 465, 432, 328, 635, 282, 253, 203, 175, 168 and 101.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 159, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Har-ker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoff- man, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mc- Nagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Ran- dolph, Yoder. Total, 87.

There were none voting in the nega- tive.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 236, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Aildredge, Anderson, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Green, Henke, Mason, Sambor. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 332, 298, 393, 215, 214, 381, 164, 352; and Engrossed House Bills Nos. 382, 454, with amendments, and same are here-

with transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 678 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Wright offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 678 be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By striking out the word "and" and the comma "," before the word "Provided" and also strike out the word "further" after the word "Provided" in section one (1) line twenty-eight (28) of the printed bill.

WRIGHT.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was referred House Bill No. 678 with specific instructions to amend beg leave to report said bill 678 has been so amended by striking out the word "and" and the comma "," before the word "Provided" and also by striking out the word "further" after the word "Provided" in section one (1) line twenty-eight (28) of the printed bill.

WRIGHT.

Which report was adopted and the amendment was ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Aildredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook,

Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski, and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 76.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was instructed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill,

Mr. Jacoby called down Engrossed House Bill No. 599, which had failed to pass for want of constitutional majority.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Day, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Hougham, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Menden-

hall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 51.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Krieg, Miles, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mosier, Myers, Osborn, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Turner, Winesburg, Wood. Total, 36.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 629 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Mendenhall moves the previous question.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham,

Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 89.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Mason, Wood. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Waltz called down Engrossed House Bill No. 563 which had failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Day, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Mason, Miller of Howard, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner,

Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 47.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Dilworth, Eikenberry, Green, Harker, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Read, Robertson, Scott, Vesey, Walker, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Yoder. Total, 42.

The bill failed to pass.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 128 with amendments and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 391, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out in section one (1) of said bill, and in lines 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, the words:

"That section one hundred thirty-eight (138) of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows "Section 138."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

ANDERSON.

Which report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 446, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Winesburg offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128 be referred to a committee of one, the chairman of Judiciary A, to be amended as follows:

By adding after the word valid at the end of section one (1) the following: "Provided however that no such warrants shall be honored or paid by such township trustee or trustees until all the facts concerning the same shall have been first submitted to the circuit court of the county wherein such township or townships are located and an order made by such court directing such trustee or trustees to honor and pay such warrants."

WINESBURG.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Miller offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 128 to be specifically amended, begs leave to report that the committee has had the same under consideration and has amended same as directed as follows:

By adding after the word valid at

the end of section one (1) the following: "Provided however that no such warrants shall be honored or paid by such township trustee or trustees until all the facts concerning the same shall have been first submitted to the circuit court of the county wherein such township or townships are located and an order made by such court directing such trustee or trustees to honor and pay such warrants."

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Gorski, Green, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.



The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House adjourn to meet at 8 o'clock this evening.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## FRIDAY EVENING.

March 2, 1917.

The House met at 8 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 571, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were.  
None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 336, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 64.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bonham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Henke, Houghton, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Mosier, Robertson, Ryan, Swain, Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 20.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 686, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hesong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson, of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Curry, Durham, Griffin, Grube, Henke, Hougham, Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 8.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. McGonagle calls up House Bill No. 670, the same having failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Buller, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harker, Harris, Henke, Hesong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 55.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cronin, Dynes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Jameson, Krieg, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Ryan, Scott, Walker, Westfall, Yoder. Total 28.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 664, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Butt, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 69.

There were none voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 523 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Behmer offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that engrossed House Bill No. 523, be referred to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

In section three (3), line three (3), change the word "examine" to "examined".

In section five (5), line thirteen (13), strike out the word "His".

In section five (5), line fourteen (14), strike out the words "Chief Inspector",

"Industrial Lake", also strike out the word "his" in line fourteen (14) of section 5.

BEHMER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Day offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 523 with specific instructions to amend begs leave to report that the same has been complied with.

DAY.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Burt. Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hessong, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 53.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bonham, Buller, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Durham, Eikenberry, Griffin, Harker, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jacoby, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Robertson, Ryan, Vesey, Walker, Yoder. Total, 29.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Day offered the following amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 523, by inserting in line one (1) before the word "an" the words "a bill for".

DAY.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Habermel withdraws House Bills Nos. 487 and 566.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 110 which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Harris offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 110 be committed to a committee of one, the gentleman from Laporte, Mr. Dilworth, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By inserting in section one (1), line eight (8), before the comma preceding the word "and" and after the amendment heretofore adopted the following words: "to an improved road outside such city or town or to another street within such city or town".

By adding section one and one-half (1½) as follows "Section 1½. Nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to affect any pending litigation."

HARRIS.

Which motion prevailed.

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Mr. Dilworth offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 110 has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report that the same has been amended as directed.

DILWORTH.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Cook, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Green, Grube, Harris, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson, of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, McClaskey, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Westfall, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 37.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Krieg, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Read, Robertson, Swain, Walker, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, and Mr. Speaker. Total, 44.

The Speaker declared the bill had failed to pass.

House adjourned to meet at 9:30 Saturday morning, March 3, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## SATURDAY MORNING.

March 3, 1917.

The House met at 9:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. H. W. Baldrige, Pastor Brightwood M. E. Church of Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 75.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Blackmore, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Gentry,

Hubbner, Houghman, Turner, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulask, and White, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Myers, Southard, Tucker, Vesey, Westrick. Total, 25.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, March 2, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Miltenberger, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on State Medicine, etc., to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 158, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

READ.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the Senate be requested to return to the House, Engrossed House Bill No. 691.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 261, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: by striking out in section one and in lines seven and eight of said section, the words "and that every city of the fifth class may create" and by striking out in section eight all of said section after the word "board" in line seven of said section, and when so amended that said bill do pass.

ALLDREDGE,  
O'LEARY,  
TURNER,  
JAMESON,  
WALKER,  
VESEY,  
SAMBOR.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 261, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

ANDERSON, Chr.  
KRIEG,  
HOUGHTON,  
WM. H. BARTEL, Jr.  
JINNETT.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority of the committee.

The question was carried, and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Labor, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 140, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SWAIN,  
MASON,  
MOORE,  
WALTZ,  
AXBY,  
GORSKI.

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Labor, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 140, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: By adding at the end of line four, section one the engrossed Senate Bill No. 140, the word "hotel"; by striking out all of line after the word and figures two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) in lines 37, 38, 39, 40,

41, 42, 43 and 44 of engrossed bill and when so amended that said bill do pass.

DAY,  
JINNETT,  
BONHAM.  
DYNES,  
BEHMER.

The question being on the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report of the committee.

The question was not carried, and the majority report of the committee was adopted.

House concurred in the majority report of the committee.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 96.

MONTGOMERY.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Symons offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 308.

SYMONS.

Which motion prevailed.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 216, 339, 370, 320, 369, 189, 674 and 302 and Engrossed House Bills Nos. 353, 375, 411, 73 and 312 with amendments and same are herewith transmitted for action of the House and has concurred in House

106, 156; and have refused to concur in House amendments to Senate Bill No. 2.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker appointed as committee to confer with the Senate on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2, Messrs. Miller of Howard and Kessler.

Mr. Gentry offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 629 passed on March 2nd, be reconsidered.

GENTRY.

Mr. McGonagle moved to make this a special order for two o'clock Monday afternoon, March 5, 1917.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Waltz offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that this house extend a rising vote expressing their full and hearty confidence in the honesty and integrity of the distinguished gentleman from Monroe and that this body urge the Governor of the State to decline to receive the resignation of the said gentleman from Monroe.

WALTZ,  
TURNER,  
WALKER.

The Speaker ordered a rising vote, which was unanimous.

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 382.

SIFE.

Which motion prevailed.

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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 375.

WOODS.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 411.

MILLER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Green offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 73.

GREEN.

Which motion prevailed.

Committee Report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to which was referred House Bill No. 614, begs leave to report that it has compared the engrossed bill with the original House Bill and finds said bill correctly engrossed.

FRANK E. WRIGHT,  
Chairman.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 638, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Sipe offers the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 638, be referred to a committee of one,

its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by striking out the comma after the word "corporations" in line seven of section one and inserting in lieu thereof the following "and taxing districts, on account of which bonds or other legal evidence of indebtedness are authorized by law to be issued by the county."

And by substituting a capital for the small letter "s" in the word "said" in said line.

And by inserting after the comma following the word "corporation" in line three of section two the following "controller of each city" and also by inserting a comma after the word "township" in line six of section two and by inserting after the said comma the words "controller of each city."

Also by amending section three by inserting the words "or statutory" after the word "constitutional" in line eight of section three, and by striking out the period at the end of said section and placing a comma in lieu thereof; and by adding the following words after said comma "except as provided in section four of this act."

And by re-numbering section four and causing the same to be numbered section five.

And by adding section four to said bill, which section four shall read as follows:

Section 4. That whenever any bonds, notes or other written obligations are issued and sold by, or in the name of any county, civil or school township, city or town in this state, or shall be issued by any such municipality on behalf of any taxing district, under the provisions of any law of this state, it shall be the duty of the auditor, trustee, controller, or clerk of such county, civil or school township, city or town, charged with the duty of advertising and receiving bids for said bonds, notes or other written obligations, to furnish the pur-

chaser of such obligations a statement, certified by the auditor of said county as being true and correct, which statement shall set forth the assessed valuation of taxable property within such county, civil or school township, city or town, or taxing district, together with all mortgage exemptions allowed and the amount of outstanding indebtedness of such county, civil or school township, city or town or taxing district, as the case may be, and such financial statement may be taken and relied upon by any prospective purchaser of said bonds as showing the true financial condition of such county, civil or school township, city or town or taxing district in reference to any statutory or constitutional limitation of indebtedness provided therefor by law.

SIFE.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Kimmel made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to whom was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 638, with specific instructions to amend the same, begs leave to report that he has had the same under consideration and that said bill has been amended as directed as follows:

By striking out the comma after the word "corporations" in line seven of section one and inserting in lieu thereof the following "and taxing districts, on account of which bonds or other legal evidence of indebtedness are authorized by law to be issued by the county."

And by substituting a capital for the small letter "s" in the word "said" in said line.

And by inserting after the comma following the word "corporation" in line three of section two the following "controller of each city" and also by inserting a comma after the word "township" in line six of section two and by inserting



after said comma the words "controller of each city."

Also by amending section three by inserting the words "or statutory" after the word "constitutional" in line eight of section three, and by striking out the period at the end of said section and placing a comma in lieu thereof; and by adding the following words after said comma "except as provided in section four of this act."

And by renumbering section four and causing the same to be numbered section five.

And by adding section four to said bill, which section four shall read as follows:

Section 4. That whenever any bonds, notes or other written obligations are issued and sold by, or in the name of any county, civil or school township, city or town in this state, or shall be issued by any such municipality on behalf of any taxing district, under the provisions of any law of this state, it shall be the duty of the auditor, trustee, controller, or clerk of such county, civil or school township, city or town, charged with the duty of advertising and receiving bids for said bonds, notes or other written obligations, to furnish the purchaser of such obligations a statement, certified by the auditor of said county as being true and correct, which statement shall set forth the assessed valuation of taxable property within such county, civil or school township, city or town, or taxing district, together with all mortgage exemptions allowed and the amount of outstanding indebtedness of such county, civil or school township, city or town or taxing district, as the case may be, and such financial statement may be taken and relied upon by any prospective purchaser of said bonds as showing the true financial condition of such county, civil or school township, city or town or taxing district in reference to any statutory or constitutional

limitation of indebtedness provided therefor by law.

KIMMEL.

Which report was adopted.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 76.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Sipe offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title to House Bill No. 638, by striking out the period following the word "corporations" in the last line of said title and adding the following "and providing for the furnishing of financial statements to the pur-

chasers of such bonds, notes or other written obligations issued and sold by, or in the name of, any county, civil or school township, city or town for any corporate purpose or on behalf of any taxing district, under the provisions of any law of this State."

SIPE.

Which motion prevailed and the title was declared amended.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 178, by Senator English:

A bill for an act to appropriate ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the erection of a suitable memorial to the pioneer mothers of Indiana, and providing for the expenditure of such sum by the pioneer mothers memorial association of Indiana.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 419, by Senator Laney.

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend 'An act to give a person, firm or corporation or others engaged in storing or furnishing supplies for repairing automobiles or motor truck or person, firm or corporation maintaining an automobile garage a lien upon automobiles or motor trucks stored or kept or for which supplies are furnished or upon which repairs are made, providing a means of foreclosing the same and declaring an emergency, approved Mar. 15, 1913' and providing for attorney fees and extending the same to include and cover motor bicycles" acts 1915, page 621, approved March 10, 1915, and extending said lien after loss of possession.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 270, by Senator Grant:

A bill for an act for the improvement of live stock, agriculture, horticulture and also for the encouragement of domestic science and art, and authorizing boards of county commissioners and county councils to appropriate and pay money in aid of county and district agricultural societies and repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring and emergency.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 218, by Senator Nejd:

A bill for an act concerning the inspection of masonry construction.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 184, by Senator McKinley:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act providing for the building of sidewalks in incorporated towns," approved March 15, 1913, and repealing sections five (5) and six (6) thereof.

Which was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senator Bill No. 250, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski,

Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Eisterhold, Griffin, Henke and Mr. Speaker. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 350, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny,

Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 81.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 198, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 70.

Messrs. Alldredge, Jacoby, Kessler, McClaskey, McNagny, Miles, Robertson, Vesey, Williams, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 11.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 164, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Harmon offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Senate Bill No. 164, be referred to a committee of one, Representative Jinnett, Chairman of the Committee on Fees and Salaries, with specific instructions to amend the same as follows, to wit:

By striking out of section one at the beginning of line five (5) the figures 2,200 and substituting in lieu thereof the figures 3,300.

HARMON.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Jinnett offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which has been referred Senate Bill No. 164, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

JINNETT.

Which amendment was adopted and ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 68.

There were none voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 151, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube,

Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 72.

There were none voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Geddes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Senate Bill No. 151, by striking out the title in the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

A bill for an act to provide for the organization of corporations for the purpose of discovering fires and of saving property and life from conflagration, in cities of more than 200,000 population.

GEDDES.

Which motion was adopted, and the title declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 185, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The Speaker declared the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 234, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harris,

Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 75.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Montgomery, the House concurred in Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 312.

On motion of Mr. Dilworth, the House concurred in Engrossed Senate amendment to Engrossed House Bill No. 353.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 171, 265, 235 and 270.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 14, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Sambor moved that the further consideration of said resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Wright moved to lay that motion on the table.

Mr. Harris arises to a point of order, the point of order being, that the house had heretofore indefinitely postponed an identical resolution.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Sambor and Douglas a committee to investigate the facts and report.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 1:30 this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,

Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,

Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

March 3, 1917.

The House met at 1:30 o'clock with the Speaker in the chair.

Bills on second reading.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 196, by Senator Kolsem, being:

A bill for an act to enable and facilitate the return to a city of money expended from its general fund for township road bonds, and directing and authorizing the surrender and payment of township bonds issued and sold to a city for the purpose of paying the expenses of the improvement of any public highway ordered by the board of commissioners in cases where such city has expended out of the general fund of such city the money used in purchasing such bonds, and a tax or assessment has been levied for the purpose of paying such bonds and such tax has been collected in whole or part and the fund derived therefrom is in the hands of the county treasurer of the county wherein such highway or highways have been ordered improved and the construction of such improvement and further proceeding

court of competent jurisdiction, and matters relating thereto, and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 209, by Senator Simmons, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act defining delinquency in children, and providing for the punishment of any person responsible for, or in any way contributing to, the delinquency or other offenses of any child," approved March 6, 1905, and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section two of an act entitled 'An act defining delinquency in children, and providing for the punishment of any person responsible for, or in any way contributing to, the delinquency or other offenses of any child,' approved March 6, 1905," approved March 9, 1907.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 349, by Senator Gemmill, being:

A bill for an act to amend section nine (9) of an act entitled "An act concerning the prevention, spread and control of infectious diseases among swine, defining the duties of persons and corporations in relation thereto, and making appropriations consistent therewith and providing a penalty," approved March 7, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 337, by Senator Kinder, being:

(1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend sections 8, 9, 10, 20, 33, 36, 48, 52, 60, 61, 64, 72, 73, 76, 77, 81, 89, 90, 93, 105, 109, 151, 153, 172, 173 and 226 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxations" repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section 92 of an act entitled 'An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1893; and to amend sections two and five of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53 and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895; and to amend sections two and three of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 11, 114, 115, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895; and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section 11, 114, 115, 125, 129 and 132 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved March 1, 1895, and declaring an emergency," approved March 8, 1897, and declaring an emergency," and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section 31 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved

1897; and to amend section two of an act entitled "An act to amend sections three and four of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 4, 49, 50, 53 and 59 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 23, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1899; and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 83, 84, 133, 134, 135, 136 and 248 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and declaring an emergency," approved February 27, 1901; and providing a section supplementary to an act entitled "An act to amend sections four and seven of an act entitled "An act supplementary to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891; and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, drawing room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, co-partnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana; repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act, and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 3, 1893; and providing for the taxation of fast freight lines, lines of oil cars, refrigerator cars, cars for shipment of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and other kinds of freight; and to insert in said act an additional and supplementary section to be numbered four and a half, providing for the taxation of pipe lines and declaring an emergency," approved March 4, 1901, and declaring an emergency; also an act supplementary to and amendatory

taxation, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891, and providing for the taxation of telegraph, telephone, palace car, sleeping car, drawing-room car, dining car, express and fast freight joint stock association companies, co-partnerships and corporations transacting business in the State of Indiana, repealing sections 68, 69, 70 and 71 of said act and all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency, approved March 6, 1893, and declaring an emergency; and to amend section two of an act entitled "An act to authorize the assessment and appraisement of real estate in newly incorporated towns, and declaring an emergency," approved March 2, 1893; and to amend section one of an act entitled "An act concerning the taxation of real estate incumbered by mortgage, and declaring an emergency," which became a law without the governor's signature, March 4, 1899; and to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled "An act to amend section 112 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," approved March 6, 1891," which amended act was approved March 1, 1893, being section 6375 of Horner's Statutes of 1897; which amendatory act was approved March 4, 1899;" and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the office of county assessors, regulating the appointment of persons who may act as deputies, fixing the pay and limiting the time of service repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency," passed over the governor's veto March 9, 1895, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith and approved February 25, 1903; approved March 6, 1909," approved March 14, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.



The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 178, by Senator English, being:

A bill for an act to appropriate ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the erection of a suitable memorial to the pioneer mothers of Indiana, and providing for the expenditure of such sum by the Pioneer Mothers Memorial Association of Indiana.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. McNagny offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend printed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 178, by striking out of line twelve, section one the figures \$25,000 and inserting in lieu thereof the figures \$10,000.

McNAGNY.

Mr. McGonagle moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 244, by Senator Simmons, being:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to promote the prevention of industrial accidents to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of employment; to provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board, to abolish the State bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said

state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 218, by Senator Nejd, being:

A bill for an act concerning the inspection of masonry construction.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 344, by Senator Simmons, being:

A bill for an act adopting a State Banner.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dilworth moved that the rules requiring bills to be printed and laid upon the desks of members twenty-four hours before being read the second time, be suspended and that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 344, be read the second time.

Which motion prevailed and the bill was read a second time, and passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 158, by Senator Beardsley, being:

A bill for an act empowering boards of managers of county tuberculosis hospital to establish and maintain training schools for nurses and to grant diplomas.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Vesey moved that the rules requiring bills to be printed and laid upon the desks of members twenty-four hours before being read the second time, be suspended and that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 158, be read the second time.

was read a second time, and passed to engrossment.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 281.

Mr. Swain moved to suspend the rules requiring bills to be printed and laid upon the desks of the members twenty-four hours before being read and that Senate Engrossed Bill No. 281, be read a second time.

Mr. Day moved to lay the motion on the table.

The motion to lay on the table was lost.

Mr. Swain's motion was lost.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 281, by inserting after the word "effect" in line 25 of section one (1) the following: Provided, further, That the Public Service Commission shall order all steam railroads, operating within the State of Indiana, to issue what are known as inter-changeable, transferable mileage books providing for travel of not less than one thousand (1,000) miles at a net maximum rate of two cents per mile, and Provided, further, That all steam railroads shall issue such interchangeable mileage books transferable without the signature of the original purchaser.

MONTGOMERY.

Mr. Clapp offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the vote by which Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259, passed be reconsidered.

CLAPP.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Enrolled House Bills Nos. 265, 171, 235, 270, 101, 168, 175, 202, 253, 282, 328, 432, 465, 501, 635, 164, 332, 215, 320, 352, 216, 189, 265, 171, 235, 270, 302, 381, 674, 369, 370, 339, 214, 411 and 393, begs leave to report that it has compared the enrolled bills with the original House Engrossed Bills and finds each of said bills correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 105, by Senator Negley, being:

A bill for an act making it lawful for the employes of the State of Indiana, employed in the offices located at the capitol building, to be granted each Saturday afternoon as a holiday; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 184, by Senator McKinley, being:

A bill for an act to amend section four (4) of an act entitled "An act providing for the building of sidewalks in incorporated towns," approved March 15, 1913, and repealing sections five (5) and six (6) thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 421, by Senator White, being:

A bill for an act to amend section thirty (30) of an act entitled "An act entitled an act concerning building and loan associations," approved March 4, 1911.

ordered engrossed.

### Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 183, 184, 218, 331, 449 and 516; and have also passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 96 and 308 with amendments and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

And am also directed to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in the House amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 213; and have refused to concur in House amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42, and have appointed a conference committee of two members from the Senate to confer with a committee of like number with the House which they most respectfully request the House to appoint for that purpose.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The following report was made on Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 14.

MR. SPEAKER:

We, your committee to compare Senate Joint Resolution No. 14, with House Resolution No. 2, find the material difference in the two Resolutions is—Senate Resolution provides a residency in the State of one year—House Resolution of six months.

SAMBOR,  
DOUGLAS.

The Speaker held that the point of order was not well taken.

Mr. Wright moved to lay on the table.

Which motion was lost.

question.

The previous questions was on Mr. Sambor's motion to indefinitely postpone the bill.

Which motion was lost.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Eikenberry, Green, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Cronin, Downey, Dynes, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Jameson, Kessler, Kuhlman, Mushett, Osborn, Sambor, Turner, Waltz. Total, 23.

The resolution was declared passed.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 339, 370, 369, 214, 302 and 381.

Mr. Anderson called for vote on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 222, which had failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Clapp, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Mushett, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Williams, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 54.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cooper, Douglas, Green, Henke, Hoffman, Houghton, McGonagle, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Osborn, Read, Walker, Westfall, Winesburg, Mr. Speaker. Total, 26.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Kuhlman offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move you that we reconsider the vote on House Bill No. 685, by which vote said bill failed to pass this a. m., March 3, 1917.

KUHLMAN.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Myers, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph. Total, 55.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Cooper, Curry, Dilworth, Ducham, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Henke, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Lafuze, McClaskey, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Ryan, Symons, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 31.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Read offered the following motion:

**MR. SPEAKER:**

I move that Senate Bill No. 433, be referred to a committee of one, the Chairman of the Committee on Elec-

tions, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause, and inserting in lieu thereof the following to wit:

"That all of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby, for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' approved March 8, 1915, be and the same are hereby repealed.

And that all political parties are hereby granted full power to adopt such methods, rules and regulations for the establishment and government of their own individual party affairs as they may deem best. Such parties shall have the right to determine the time and manner of selecting their candidates for office to be voted for at general or special elections: Provided, That at least fifteen (15) days' notice of all primary elections and conventions at which such candidates are to be selected shall be given through publication in the public press; and Provided, further, That such primary election or convention shall be held not more than ninety (90) days prior to the date of such general or special election.

READ.

Mr. Dynes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion was lost.

Read's motion is lost.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, be recommitted to a committee of one, the Chairman of the Committee on Elections, with specific instructions

to amend by striking out the period following the word "appointed" in line 61 of section six and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following:

"Provided, however, That whenever, in any county, township, city, district, circuit or other political sub-division, there is no contest in any party for the nomination of candidates for any office to be elected therein, no primary for the selection of such candidates shall be held, and the election commissioners shall certify the names of candidates for which there is no contest the same as though a primary election had in fact been held. Whereas, an emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this provision the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

MILLER.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dynes offered the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, begs leave to report that it has had said bill under consideration and that said bill has been amended as directed.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted and the amendment ordered engrossed.

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, be recommitted to a committee of one, Chairman of Election Committee, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By renumbering the sections so that section five will be section six;

Section six will be section seven;

Section seven will be section eight;

Section nine will be section ten;  
Section ten will be section eleven;  
Section eleven will be section twelve;  
Section twelve will be section thirteen;  
Section thirteen will be section fourteen;

Section fourteen will be section fifteen;  
Section fifteen will be section sixteen;

Also, by adding to said bill a new section to be numbered section five, which new and additional section shall be as follows:

Section 5. That section eight of the above entitled act be amended to read as follows:

Section 8. That beginning with the year 1918, the primary elections provided for in this act shall be held in the various precincts of the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in May of each year preceding each state, congressional, county, city and township election; Provided, That nothing in this act contained shall prevent any political party not coming under the provisions of this act from nominating candidates as now provided by law; Provided, further, That nothing in this act contained shall prevent any individual voter at any general election from using the paster ballot as now provided by law.

MILLER.

Mr. Osborn moved to have the amendment printed and the printed amendment, together with the bill, be made a special order for Monday at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

Mr. Dynes moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Vesey moved that the amendment together with the bill, be made a special order for 8:00 o'clock p. m. to-day.

Which motion was lost.

Committee of one reported as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as specifically instructed.

DYNES.

Which report was adopted and amendment ordered engrossed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hession, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Read, Sanbor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 61.

Those voting the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Clapp, Curry, Day, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Griffin, Grube, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, Mosier, Robertson, Ryan, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 19.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Dynes offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 433, by inserting the figure eight after the figure seven in line one and striking out the figure fourteen in line two.

DYNES.

Which motion prevailed.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 129, which was read a third time in full.

The question being. Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Green, Harris, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland-Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Mosier, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 52.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Cronin, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Myers, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Turn-

er, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Wood. Total, 26.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 685, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Gorski, Green, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Mites Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Millenberger, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Swain, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Williams, Wood, Yoder. Total, 45.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 46.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Durham, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hepler, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson, of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Sipe, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Woods, Wright of Clay. Total, 51

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Douglas, Dynes, Eikenberry, Harker, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Krieg, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mosier, Myers, Read, Scott, Swain, Walker, Williams, Winesburg, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 35.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was ordered to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Habermel moved that the vote by which Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 was passed, be reconsidered and that the motion be laid on the table.

which motion was lost.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 276, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon, Hepler, Hoffman, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Read, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 59.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cravens, Cronin, Douglas, Durham, Eisterhold, Grube, Harker, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Krieg, Turner. Total, 14.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 162, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?



The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, McGonagle, McNagney, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright, of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Hyland, Jameson, Kuhlman, Montgomery, Moore. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Conference Committee reports as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your conference committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate upon Engrossed House amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259, respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and have agreed as follows: to-wit:

That Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259 be amended by striking out section two (2) and substituting therefor the

following: and that this amendment be approved and concurred in by the House.

Section 2. That upon the taking effect of this act there shall be appointed by the governor a commission to be known as the Indiana moving picture commission, composed of three members, not more than two (2) of whom shall belong to the same political party. One member of the first commission appointed under this act shall serve for one (1) year, one for two (2) years, and one for three (3) years, and thereafter each commissioner appointed shall serve for three (3) years, subject to removal by the governor at any time.

That Senate Bill No. 259, also be amended by the adding of the following sections, to-wit:

Section 3. The commission shall be furnished with an office in the city of Indianapolis and shall there meet as often as their duties require. Said commission is hereby authorized to employ a secretary whose salary shall be fixed by the commission with the consent of the governor not exceeding nine hundred dollars (\$900) per year.

Section 4. Each member of the commission appointed under this act shall be paid the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per year and all expenses of traveling in the state on business of the commission.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the members of the commission hereby created to view and investigate, either upon their own motion or upon complaint, moving pictures shown, to the end that no immoral, indecent, or licentious moving pictures shall be shown in this state, and all pictures known as moving pictures shall be at all times subject to inspection of the commission, the members of which shall have access to any moving picture theatre or show at any time free of charge.

Section 6. For the purpose of defray-

ing the expenses of the commission, each motion picture exhibitor in Indiana, shall pay annually in advance, to the Indiana moving picture commission, the following annual license fee for each moving picture house, airdome, theatre or other places exhibiting moving pictures, to wit:

Exhibitors in cities of first class, \$25.00.

Exhibitors in cities of second class, \$20.00.

Exhibitors in cities of third class, \$15.00.

Exhibitors in cities of fourth class, \$10.00.

Exhibitors in cities of fifth class, towns and townships, \$5.00.

And upon the payment of such fee a license shall be issued by said Commission to such exhibitor for a period of one (1) year therefrom.

Section 7. The Commission shall, on the first day of each month, pay all fees into the state treasury to be held in a fund known as the moving picture fund, and all expenditures and expenses including the salaries of this commission, shall be paid out of said fund upon warrants of the auditor of state and upon vouchers approved by the commission.

Section 8. Said commission shall have the power to revoke the license of any person, firm, association or corporation engaged in showing moving pictures for the violation of any of the provisions of this act, after a hearing before said commission and after notice of ten (10) days by the commission of the time and place of the hearing given to the person, firm, association or corporation to whom the license was issued, and any person, firm, association or corporation who shall show or display any moving picture in the State of Indiana in any place where an admittance fee is charged or demanded without having first obtained a license so to

do, as provided in this act, or any person, firm, association or corporation, who shall show or display any moving picture in the State of Indiana in any place where an admittance fee is charged or demanded, after the revocation of the license issued by said commission, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction, fined in the sum of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars for each day or fraction of a day of such show or display. And on second offense there shall be added to such fine imprisonment in the county jail or penal farm for not less than ten (10) days nor more than six (6) months.

Section 9. Whenever the revenues received under this act shall exceed the amount necessary for the payment of all expenses in connection with the commission, such sums as may remain unexpended shall revert to the general fund of the state and become a part of the same.

Section 10. An emergency existing for the taking effect of this act, the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Also, by striking out the period after the last word, "act" of the title and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following: "and to create a commission to be known as the Indiana moving picture commission to investigate moving pictures shown in this State, fixing the salaries of the members of such commission, defining the duties of the commission, fixing annual license fees for each moving picture house, airdome, theatre or other places exhibiting moving pictures, creating a moving picture fund, providing penalties for violation thereof, and declaring an emergency."

McCRAI,  
CULBERTSON,  
Senate Conferees.  
MYERS,  
GEDDES,  
House Conferees.

Mr. Dilworth moved that the House concur in the report.

Which motion prevailed and the amendment be engrossed.

The Speaker announced he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 411, 393 and 215.

Mr. Durham moved that when the House adjourned it adjourn to meet at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

Mr. Habermel moved to lay that motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 8 o'clock this evening.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

#### SATURDAY EVENING.

March 3, 1917.

The House met at 8:00, with the Speaker in the chair.

Senate bills on second reading:

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 266, by Senator Van Auken, being:

A bill for an act to abolish the office of reporter of the supreme court and to transfer the duties of such reporter to the clerk of the supreme court.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 18, by Senator Kinder, being:

A bill for an act to amend section twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), and fifty-seven (57) of an act entitled "An act to promote the

prevention of industrial accidents; to cause provisions to be made for adequate medical and surgical care for injured employees; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or death sustained by employees in the course of employment; to provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an industrial board for the administration of the act and to prescribe the powers and duties of such board; to abolish the state bureau of inspection and provide for the transfer to said industrial board certain rights, powers and duties of said state bureau of inspection," approved March 8, 1915.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 259, being:

A bill for an act creating a department of banking and insurance, and transferring certain powers thereto.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

House Bill No. 481, being:

A bill for an act providing for the establishment of the office of attorney general providing for his appointment and fixing his powers and duties.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Organization of Courts, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 338, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HARRIS.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Eikenberry filed the following motion:

I move to reconsider the vote by which Engrossed Senate Bill No. 110 failed to pass on March 2nd.

EIKENBERRY.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 9:00 o'clock Monday morning, March 5, 1917.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY MORNING.

March 5, 1917.

The House met at 9:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. D. Garrison, pastor of North Park Christian Church, Indianapolis.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Over-

Scott, Sipe, Southard, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 86.

Those not answering to their names when called were:

Messrs. Adams, Blackmore, Cravens, Douglas, Duffey, Griffin, Habermel, Hougham, Kimmel, Myers, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Mr. Speaker. Total, 14.

The Speaker ordered the Journal of the proceedings of Saturday, March 3, 1917, to be read.

On motion of Mr. Sambor, the House dispensed with the reading of the Journal.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 259, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Winesburg, Wood, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder and Mr. Speaker. Total, 53.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 33.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 481, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll of the House.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 53.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Grube, Cronin, Curry, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon

Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, Krieg, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 37.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 186, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 59.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, O'Leary,

Robertson, Ryan, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 27.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Houghton offered the following motion.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 186, by inserting after the figures 1913 at the end of the title of the said bill the following: "and providing for the assessment of the property of public utilities."

HOUGHTON.

Which motion prevailed and the title was declared amended.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 266, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Harker, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, McNagny, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 33.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Miller offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend the title to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 266, as follows:

By striking out all the title of said bill and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "A bill for an act to abolish the office of the reporter of the supreme court and to transfer the duties of such reporter to the clerk of the supreme court, and to abolish the office of state supervisor of oil inspection and to provide for the inspection of petroleum oils, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

MILLER.

Which motion prevailed.

The title was declared amended.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 183, 184 and Enrolled Senate Bill No. 350.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 18, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Dilworth moved that the bill be recommitted to a committee of one with instructions to amend as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 18, be recommitted to a committee of one, the chairman of Judiciary A, Mr. Miller, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By striking out after the word "follows" line three (3), section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "No compensation shall be paid for any injury, the disability resulting from which shall not exceed fourteen (14) days, provided that where such disability exceeds fourteen (14) days compensation for such injury shall begin with and be paid from the eighth (8th) day of such disability."

Also by striking out all of sections 2, 3 and 4.

DILWORTH.

Mr. Turner moved to lay that motion on the table.

Turner motion to lay on the table is lost.

Dilworth's motion is lost.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Day, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, McNagny, Mendenhall, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods,

Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Mr. Speaker. Total, 65.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bartel, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Geddes, Hepler, Hessong, Houghton, Jameson, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, Mason, Miles, Miltenberger, Osborn, Overmyer, Vesey, Yoder. Total, 26.

The bill was declared passed.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bills No. 235-371; also Engrossed House Bills No. 484-662; also House Joint Resolution No. 5; also Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 2; and have concurred in House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204, and have amended the title to said Engrossed Senate Bill "204", and all said bills are herewith transmitted for the further action of the House. And have also concurred in the House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bills No. 57-222.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 452, by Senator Beardsley:

A bill for an act providing for registration of voters prior to special elections, fixing penalties for the violation thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Elections.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 235, by Senator Hagerty:

A bill for an act concerning liability and workman compensation insurance

and certain indemnifying contracts, and the reserves, assets and liabilities thereof.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371, by Senator Chambers:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act in reference to publications in newspapers of notices, reports and other matter" approved March 3, 1913.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 104, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNaghy, Miles, Miller of Howard, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Yoder. Total, 60.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Blackmore, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Day, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Mason, Mendenhall, Milten-

berger, Mosier, Myers, Sambor, Swain, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay, Mr. Speaker. Total, 19.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Behmer offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 204.

BEHMER.

Mr. Habermel rose to a point of order, the point being that the things contained in said motion had been heretofore acted upon by the House.

The Speaker deferred his decision upon the point of order until this afternoon session.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

HARKER.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Cravens moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended; that the bill be printed, read a second time, engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage, which was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the constitutional rule be suspended.



The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Duffey, Mendenhall, Montgomery, Read, Mr. Speaker. Total, 5.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a second time, ordered engrossed and read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry,

Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Jameson, Jinnett. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Mr. Harker offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371 be referred to a committee of one, the gentleman from Whitley, Mr. McNagny, with specific instructions to amend said bill as follows:

By striking out all of section one (1) of said bill following the word "follows" in line three of said section one and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That in all cases where the county commissioners, drainage commissioners, sheriffs, auditors, treasurers and township trustees of the several counties of the state, and the treasurers of incorporated cities and towns, are required by law to publish notices affecting public affairs, in a public newspaper, such county commissioners, drainage commissioners, sheriffs, auditors, treasurers, township trustees and treasurers of cities or towns, are hereby required to publish said notices as by

newspapers of general circulation, published in their respective counties, representing the two political parties casting the highest number of votes in such counties respectively at the last preceding general election, and if there are not two (2) newspapers representing the two political parties casting the highest number of votes at the last preceding general election, then in that case one (1) of such notices shall be published in any other party paper or in an independent newspaper; provided, that in the publication of township notices, if there is a newspaper published in the township, the publication may be in that newspaper and one (1) other in the county.

RUSSELL P. HARKER,  
Representative.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McNagny made the following report:

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as instructed, as follows:

By striking out all of section one (1) of said bill following the word "follows" in line three of said section one and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That in all cases where the county commissioners, drainage commissioners, sheriffs, auditors, treasurers and township trustees of the several counties of the state, and the treasurers of incorporated cities and towns, are required by law, to publish notices affecting public affairs, in a public newspaper, such county commissioners, drainage commissioners, sheriffs, auditors, treasurers, township trustees and treasurers of cities or towns, are hereby

the several statutes required in two (2) newspapers of general circulation, published in their respective counties, representing the two political parties casting the highest number of votes in such counties respectively at the last preceding general election, and if there are not two (2) newspapers representing the two political parties casting the highest number of votes at the last preceding general election, then in that case one (1) of such notices shall be published in any other party paper or in an independent newspaper; provided, that in the publication of such township notices, if there is a newspaper published in the township, the publication may be in that newspaper and one (1) other in the county.

McNAGNY.

Which report was adopted.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that Senate passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 387, also, Engrossed House Bills Nos. 8 and 9; also, Engrossed House Bills Nos. 567 and 682 with amendments; also, Concurrent Senate Resolution No. 2. Same are herewith transmitted to the action of the House.

Senate has also refused to concur in the House amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259, and have appointed a committee of two members from the Senate to meet with two members from the House as a committee of conference in regard to said bill.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of Senate.

Mr. Harris offers the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate amend-

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McGonagle offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do not concur in the Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 682, and that the Speaker appoint a committee of three to confer with a like committee appointed from the Senate.

McGONAGLE.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed Messrs. McGonagle Cravens and Buller members of said conference committee.

MR. SPEAKER:

A majority of your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 452, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

DYNES,  
MOORE,  
WRIGHT,  
MASON,  
WILLIAMS,  
HARKER,  
SOUTHARD,  
HYLAND,  
ANDERSON

MR. SPEAKER:

A minority of your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 452, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BAYER,  
GRUBE,  
HASLANGER,  
TURNER.

House to withdraw his name from the minority report and that it be added to the majority report, which consent was granted, and the change ordered made.

The question being, Shall the minority report of the committee be substituted for the majority report of the committee?

Which question was lost, and the majority report was adopted.

Mr. Miltenberger moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended and that the bill be read a second time, ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed on its passage, which was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 87.

Messrs. Cronin, Gorski. Total, 2.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 81.

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Geddes and Myers members of the conference committee to confer with a like committee of the Senate on amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259.

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House of Representatives:

I return to you herewith, without my approval House Enrolled Bill No. 463, providing for the establishment of an additional superior court in Vigo county.

I am compelled to withhold executive approval of this bill because of the fact at this session of the general assembly provision has been made for a constitutional convention and this convention will have it within its power to review and revise the judicial system of this state.

The constitutional convention in dealing with the courts of this state will, I assume, make provision to relieve the conditions that prompted the introduction and passage of this enrolled bill now returned without executive approval.

I do not think it the part of wisdom at this time, in view of the short time between now and the time of the constitutional convention to incur the expense that necessarily would be incurred if this bill became the law of the State.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

Mr. Duffey offers the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the Speaker appoint two (2) additional conferees, each of whom to be a democrat, in order to equal the number appointed by the Senate and that the same may be non-political, said committee to confer on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42.

DUFFEY.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed Messrs. Douglas and Hartke.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on County and

grossed Senate Bill No. 429, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

BLACKMORE.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Cravens moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended, and that the bill be read a second time, engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rule.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 78.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Jinnett and Mr. Speaker. Total, 2.

pended.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harris, Hartke, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 71.

Those voting in the negative were:

None.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 368; also, Engrossed House Bill No. 269, with amendment, and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 449 and 516.

Mr. Cravens, on behalf of Capt. Davis F. Olive, presented the Speaker with a gavel.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY AFTERNOON,

March 5, 1917.

The House met at 1:45, with the the Speaker in the chair.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 235, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Houghton moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended, and that the bill be read a second time, printed and ordered engrossed and read the third time, and placed upon its passage.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being upon the suspension of the constitutional rule.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNaghy, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 72.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Cook, Curry, Downey, Durham, Gorski, Habermel, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Osborn, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz. Total, 18.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a second time, ordered engrossed and read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Coggins, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris,

Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder. Total, 77.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Gorski, Habermel, Walker, Waltz. Total, 4.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Read offered the following motion.

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in the Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 269.

READ.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced that he has signed Senate Enrolled Bills 350, 213, 250, 114, 52, 106, 161, 202, 336, 236, 225, 156, 198, 185, 286, 101, 98, 57, 159, 17, 15, 162 and 12.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 484, 567, 312, 331, 629, 96, 308, 9, 5, 375 and 298.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has recalled from the House Engrossed Senate Bill No. 204, and most respectfully requests that you deliver said bill to Secretary of the Senate.

GUY R. YORK.  
Secretary of Senate.

Mr. Dilworth moved that the House accede to the request of the Senate and return House Bill No. 204.

Mr. Habermel moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table is lost.

Dilworth's motion prevails, and the clerk is instructed to return the bill to the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 348, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall,

Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 76.

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 368, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act amending section 74 of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission with public service commission, approved March 4, 1913, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 387, by Senator Thornton:

A bill for an act concerning trade marks on bottles, siphons, tins and kegs.

Which was read a first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was passed by unanimous vote.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 112, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham,

Burt, Clapp, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Downey, Durham, Eikenberry, Green, Griffin, Harker, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, O'Leary, Read, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 45.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Day, Dynes, Gorski, Grube, Habermel, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Hepler, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Mason, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mosier, Mushett, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Wright of Clay. Total, 36.

It was declared the bill had failed to pass, for want of a constitutional majority.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 452, 262, 18, 222, 276.

The Speaker handed down Senate Engrossed Bill 150, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong,



land, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 82.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Day. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 192, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier,

Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 68.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Coggins, Day, Harker, McClaskey, Swain, Wood, Mr. Speaker. Total, 8.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 244, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods,

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 421, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mushett, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Douglas, Gorski, Habermel, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson. Total, 13.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 349, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Baker, Buller, Coggins, Green, Johnson of Grant, Mendenhall, Moore. Total, 8.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Burt, Clapp, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Curry, Day, Dilworth, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe, and Warren, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moiser, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 76.

It was declared the bill had failed to pass.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has appointed Senators Dobyns, Culbertson, Fleming and Beardsley as a committee to act on

the Conference Committee having under consideration Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42.

And that the Senate has appointed as a Committee of Three, Senators McConaha, White and Chambers to confer with a like number of members from the House on Engrossed House Bill No. 682.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of Senate.

Mr. Durham offered the following motion:

Whereas, a clerical error exists in House Bill No. 265 as printed:

I move to refer House Bill No. 265, to a committee of one, the chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

By striking out the word "For" in line 10, section 3; by striking out the brackets, around the word "against" in line 11, section 3; and by inserting an upper case "A" in the first letter of said word "against" in lieu of a lower case "a" in said word; and that the minutes of the House show the action herein taken.

DURHAM.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Houghton offered the following report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of one, the Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred House Bill No. 265, with specific instructions to amend begs leave to report that said amendments have been made as directed.

HOUGHTON.

The Conference Committee on Engrossed House Bill No. 682, made the following report:

Committee report.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Conference Committee, appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate upon Engrossed Senate

amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 682, respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and have agreed as follows, to-wit:

1. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate amendment No. 1, which is as follows:

By inserting after the line 12, in section 2, the words "Benevolent Institutions."

2. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate amendment No. 2, which is as follows:

By striking out of line 50, in section 2, the word "forty-three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty."

3. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Amendment No. 3, which is as follows:

That in section two (2), line 78, the name of the institution known as the Indiana Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, Indiana, be changed to "The School for Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans", and that the appropriations be made for the School for Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans.

4. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 14, which is as follows:

By inserting after the period in line 105, in section two (2) the words "Correctional Institutions."

5. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 5, be amended to read as follows:

By striking out of lines 172 and 173 of section two (2), the following:

Who shall also serve as clerk of the board of pardons, "one thousand twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the words "nine hundred," and that when so amended the House agree to do the same.

6. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 6, which is as follows:

By striking out of lines 196 and 197 of section two (2) after the word

“clerk” the words “one thousand two hundred dollars,” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “nine hundred dollars.”

7. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 7, which reads as follows:

That there be stricken out of lines 228 and 229 of section two (2) the following words “Salary of second assistant attorney-general, three thousand dollars.”

8. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 8, which is as follows:

By striking out line 227 of section two (2) the word “first” before the word “assistant.”

9. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 9, which is as follows:

By striking out lines 312, 313, 314, 315, 316 and 317, in section two (2), page 8, in the printed bill.

10. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 10, which is as follows:

By striking out of line 327, section two (2), the words “seven hundred twenty” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “nine hundred.”

11. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 11, which is as follows:

By striking out of line 327, section two (2) the word “one” and inserting in lieu thereof the word “two.”

12. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 12, which is as follows:

By striking out of line 300, section two (2) the words “seven hundred twenty” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “nine hundred.”

13. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 13, which is as follows:

By striking out of section two (2), page 6, line 220, the words “one thousand two hundred dollars,” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “nine hundred dollars.”

14. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 14, which is as follows:

By striking out of section two (2) all of lines 361 to 368, both inclusive.

15. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 15, be amended to read as follows:

By striking out in lines 208, 209, section two (2) the words “seven hundred twenty” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “nine hundred dollars,” and that when so amended the House do agree to the same.

16. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 16, be amended to read as follows:

By striking out of line 433½ the words “eight hundred” and that when so amended the House do agree to same.

17. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 17, which is as follows:

By striking out in section two (2), line 485, the word “five” and inserting in lieu thereof the word “ten.”

18. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 18, which is as follows:

By changing the period after the word “duties” in line 494, section two (2) to a semi-colon, and inserting after said semi-colon the words “salary of clerk, nine hundred dollars.”

19. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 19 be amended to read as follows:

By inserting after line 532, section two (2), the following:  
“Indiana Horticultural Society.

For the Indiana Horticultural Society.  
For expenses of the Society and apple

show commission four thousand six hundred dollars," and when so amended that the House do agree to the same.

20. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 20, which is as follows:

By inserting after the period in line 535, section two (2) the following:

For the Indiana Corn Growers' Association: For expenses of corn growing contest and state corn show, two thousand dollars.

21. That the Senate recede from, Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 21 which is as follows:

By inserting after the line 535, section two (2) thereof "State Parks: For Turkey Run, McCormick's Creek Canyon and other state parks, which are now or may hereafter be formed or created, the sum of twenty thousand dollars.

22. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 22, be amended to read as follows:

By striking out of line 320, section (2) the words "two thousand two hundred fifty," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "three thousand" and that when so amended the House do agree to the same.

23. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 23, which is as follows:

By inserting in line 554, section two (2) after the word "apply" the words "when any state board, state commission or the board of trustees of any state institution shall order or approve such expenditure as being for the good of the public service and shall enter into its record such order or approval, and the specific purpose for which such expenditure shall be made or."

24. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 24, which is as follows:

By striking out of line 214, section two (2) the words "two thousand five"

and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixteen."

25. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 25, which is as follows:

By inserting after line 312 of the printed bill on page 8, the following:

"The Bureau of Legislative Information is hereby abolished from and after October 1, 1917."

26. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 26, which is as follows:

By adding after line 360 in section two (2) the following paragraph:

The Bureau of Statistics is hereby abolished from and after October 1, 1917."

27. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 27, which is as follows:

By adding after the word "dollars" in line 88, section two (2) the following:

"Provided, that after the taking effect of this act, the grand children of soldiers and sailors shall not be admitted to the institution.

28. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 29 which is as follows:

By inserting as an additional section to be numbered Section 5, the following:

Section 5. That there is hereby appropriated a sum of money sufficient to pay the remaining expenses of the Seventieth General Assembly of the State of Indiana, said sum to be paid out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated" and that said bill be further amended by renumbering section 5 and 6 as sections 6 and 7, respectively.

29. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 29, which is as follows:

By inserting after the comma, in next to the last line of said title, the words "and abolishing the Bureau of

Legislative information and abolishing the Bureau of Statistics."

30. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate amendment No. 30, which is as follows:

By striking out all of lines 537, 537 ½ and 538, section two (2) thereof.

31. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 31, which is as follows:

By inserting after the word "dollars" in line 228 the words "salary of second assistant attorney-general three thousand dollars."

32. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 32, which is as follows:

By inserting the word "first" after the word "of" in line 227.

Respectfully submitted,

McCONAHA,  
WHITE,  
CHAMBERS,  
State Conferees.  
McGONAGLE,  
CRAVENS,  
BULLER,  
House Conferees.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House concurred in the report of the Conference Committee.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do not concur in the Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 691, and that the Speaker appoint a committee of three to confer with a like committee appointed from the Senate.

CRAVENS.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed on the Conference Committee Messrs. McGonagle, Cravens and Buller.

Senate Bill No. 184, which was read a third time in full.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Burtt, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gentry, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 58.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Clapp, Cronin, Curry, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Houghton, Krieg, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, O'Leary, Osborn, Tucker, Westrick, Mr. Speaker. Total, 21.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 226, 366, 494, 684; also House Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 3 and House Joint Resolution No. 7, and same are

herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 26, which was read a third time in full.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cronin, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Hessong, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, Mason, Mendenhall, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Sambor, Sipe, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Mr. Speaker. Total, 41.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Bartel, Behmer, Coggins, Curry, Davis of Jay, Douglas, Downey, Eikenberry, Gorski, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Jinnett, Kessler, Kimmel, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mushett, Myers, Overmyer, Read, Scott, Swain, Vesey, Westfall, Westrick, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 42.

It was declared the bill had failed to pass.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 387, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Gentry moved to suspend the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days and that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 387 be read a second time, ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage, which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rule.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 68.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bartel, Curry, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mushett, Read, Mr. Speaker. Total, 6.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The bill was read a second time, ordered engrossed and read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Grube, Harker, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Symons, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 67.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Read, Walker, Westfall, Mr. Speaker. Total, 5.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

**MR. SPEAKER:**

Your conference committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate, upon Engrossed House Amendment to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2, respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and have agreed to-wit:

That the Engrossed House Amendment be amended so as to read as follows:

"That the said bill be known as the English-Kessler Absent Voter's Bill."

And that when so amended the same be agreed to.

Respectfully, submitted,

KESSLER,  
MILLER.

House Committee.

Mr. Jameson moved that the House concur in the report.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. McNagny moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Miller of Howard moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Blackmore, Clapp, Coggins, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Grube, Harker, Hartke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McClaskey, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore Mosier, Mushett, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Vesey, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 57.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Burt, Cook, Cronin,



Gorski, Griffin, Habermel, Harmon, Henke, Hepler, Hougham, Jacoby, McNaghy, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall. Total, 29.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 236, 496, 591, 647, 614; also, Engrossed House Bill No. 691 with amendments and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House, and have concurred the House Amendments to Senate Bills Nos. 129, 433, 164, 151.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 327, which was read a third time in full.

Mr. Habermel moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Haslanger moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table was lost.

Mr. Habermel's motion prevailed and the bill was indefinitely postponed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Enrolled House Bill Nos. 184, 183, 449, 516, 312, 484 and 567; Joint Resolution No. 5, begs leave to report that it has compared

House Engrossed Bill and finds said bill correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON.

Mr. Osborn offers the following resolution.

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, that the patriotism and valor of the non-commissioned officer and three privates of Company G, of the First Indiana Infantry, in arresting the messenger of former Ambassador Von Bernstorff enroute to Mexico to deliver the plotting note of Alfred Zimmerman to the German ambassador and General Carranza against the United States, is most heartily commended by this General Assembly, and we extend to them the appreciation of the people of the whole State for their valiant service to their government.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to each of said privates, and a copy to the President of the United States as a further token of the appreciation of the citizens of Indiana.

OSBORN.

Which resolution was adopted.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 234, 445, with amendments, and 582, and same are herewith transmitted to the action of the House.

And that the Senate has adopted the report of the Joint Conference Committee on Engrossed House Bill No. 682.

And that the Senate has adopted the report of the Joint Conference Committee on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 259.

And that the Senate has appointed a committee consisting of Senators McConaha, White and Chambers, to

confer with a committee of like number from the House upon Engrossed House Bill No. 691, and most respectfully requests that the House appoint a committee of three members to meet with this committee in conference.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 209, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Henke, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 63.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Cronin, Day, Harris, Hepler, McClaskey, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Montgomery, Moore, Sambor, Waltz. Total, 12.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to which was referred Enrolled House Bills Nos. 184, 183, 449, 516, 312, 484, 567; also, Joint Resolution No. 5, begs leave to report that it has compared the enrolled bills with the original House Engrossed Bills and finds said bills correctly enrolled.

HOUGHTON,  
Chairman.

Which report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. McGonagle, the House adjourned to meet at 8:00 o'clock this evening.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.  
J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

## MONDAY EVENING.

March 5, 1917.

The House met at 8:00 o'clock, with the Speaker in the chair.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 226, 8, 366, 73, 445 and 352.

Mr. Johnson of Grant presented the Speaker with a ring. The Speaker responded.

Mr. Harmon presented a present to Mr. McGonagle. Mr. McGonagle responded.

Mr. Kimmel presented a present to Mr. Cravens. Mr. Cravens responded.

The Conference Committee on Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 691, made the following report:

Committee report.

Your Conference Committee, appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate upon Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 691, respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and agreed as follows, to-wit:

1. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 1, be amended to read as follows:

By striking out of lines 48 to 53, inclusive, in section two (2) of the Engrossed Bill, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

For the Northern Hospital for Insane, at Logansport:

For completing laundry plant, to be available April 1, 1917, five thousand dollars; painting, ten thousand dollars; five thousand of which shall be available October 1, 1917, and five thousand of which shall be available October 1, 1918, and that when so amended that the House do agree to the same.

2. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 2, which is as follows:

By striking out of line 89, section two (2) the word "ten" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve" and by striking out of line 91, section two (2) the word "twelve" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "fourteen."

3. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 3, which is as follows:

By adding the following words after the word "dollars" in line 139 of section two (2) of the printed bill "Provided, the board of trustees of the Indiana reformatory is authorized to exchange any surplus of any product raised on such farm lands, or sell such surplus on the market, and the funds derived therefrom shall be turned into the state treasury, and all such payments shall be known and kept as the "farm

of the Indiana reformatory as a rotary fund to be drawn upon from time to time by the board of trustees of said Indiana reformatory for the purpose of extending and facilitating such farm work and improving processes and equipment in connection therewith."

4. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 4, which is as follows:

By adding after the semi-colon, in line 154 of section two (2) of the printed copy of bill, the following words:

"For dairy barn, available at once, five thousand dollars."

And by inserting after the second comma, in line 145 of section two (2) the following words "For distribution of water to the."

5. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 5, which is as follows:

By inserting between the lines 180 and 181, of section two (2) of printed copy, the following:

"For the construction of the Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial, at Put-in-Bay Island, Ohio, commemorating the Battle of Lake Erie and the Northwestern campaign of General William Henry Harrison in the War of 1812, payable by warrant of the Auditor of State, to the Treasurer General of the Interstate Board of Memorial Commissioners appointed by the President of the United States and by the Governors of the State participating in the erection of said memorial, upon proper vouchers signed by the Treasurer General of the Interstate Board, upon and after the appointment of five commissioners of the State of Indiana, whose appointment by the Governor is hereby authorized, said Commission of the State of Indiana to serve without compensation, the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)."

6. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 6, which is as follows:

By inserting after the word "thousand" in line 224, section two (2) of printed copy, the words "two hundred."

7. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 7, which is as follows:

By inserting after line 257 of section two (2) of printed bill, succeeding the item relative to the Indiana Historical Commission, the following:

"For the Battle Flag Commission: For reinforcing and encasing battle and regimental flags, including clerical assistance, services of an architect and preparation of data and for discharging any unpaid obligations already assumed, when such obligations were entered into in good faith and in compliance with the intent and purpose of the act creating the battle flag commission, six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) to be available, April 1, 1917."

8. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 8, which is as follows:

By inserting after the line 261, section two (2) of printed bill, the following:

"State Parks: For Turkey Run, McCormick Creek Canyon, and other state parks which are now, or may hereafter be formed or created, the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), to be expended upon the approval of the governor."

9. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendments No. 9, which is as follows:

By adding to section two (2) after line 266 of printed bill, the following:

"Indiana Bureau of Agriculture:

For the Indiana bureau of agriculture. For the purpose of paying the matured indebtedness of the Indiana state board of agriculture, ninety-five thousand dollars, said indebtedness to be audited

by the state board of accounts and paid upon the approval of the governor."

10. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 10, which is as follows:

By adding after line 330, section two (2) of the printed bill, the following paragraph:

"For an emergency contingent fund two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000. to be under the direction of the governor the members of the legislative visiting committee and the chairman of the senate finance committee, who shall serve without compensation other than traveling expenses.

11. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 11, which is as follows:

By striking from same lines 316, 317 318, 319 and 320, section two (2) printed copy of bill.

12. That the House concur in Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 12, which is as follows:

By striking out of line 330, section two (2) the words and figures "seventy-five dollars (\$75.00)" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred dollars (\$100.00)".

13. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 13, be amended to read as follows:

By adding after the line 330, printed bill, section two (2) the following paragraph:

"To Dr. A. F. Nelson, state veterinarian, the sum of four thousand dollars, in full payment in lieu of all fees claimed by him to be due from the State of Indiana, available April 1, 1917" and that when so amended the Senate agree to the same.

14. That Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 14, be amended to read as follows:

By adding the following paragraph

printed bill:

"For the purchase of not less than five hundred (500) acres of land in the central, west, northeast or northwest part of Indiana and for the erection of an insane hospital thereon, for the relief of conditions at the Central Indiana hospital for the insane and other State insane hospitals, the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars, said money to be expended by a non-partisan commission of four men, to be appointed by the governor and who shall serve without compensation other than their actual expense."

And when so amended that the House do agree to the same.

15. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 15, which is as follows:

By striking out all of line 236, in section two (2) printed bill.

16. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 16, which is as follows:

By adding after the period at the end of line 320, section 2 of the printed bill, the following: Said appropriation to be paid on the approval of the state board of finance.

17. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 17, which is as follows:

By striking out the words "For the purchase of not less than seven hundred acres of land with buildings thereon with a housing capacity for ninety inmates, fifty-four thousand dollars: Provided, That if such lands are not available said sum may be used in constructing two new cottages," in lines 50, 51, 52, 53 and 54 of section 2 of the printed bill.

And by striking out the words "For purchase of land, to be available April 1, 1917, fifteen thousand dollars," in lines 77 and 78 of section 2 of the printed bill.

And by striking out the words "for

lars," in lines 138 and 139 in section 2 of the printed bill.

18. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 18, which is as follows:

By adding at the end of line 325 of section 2 of the printed bill, the following "available April 1, 1917."

19. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 19, which is as follows:

By inserting as an additional section to be numbered "Section 5" the following:

"Section 5. That there is hereby appropriated a sum of money sufficient to pay the remaining expenses of the Seventieth (70) General Assembly of the State of Indiana, such sum to be paid out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated." Said appropriation to be available upon the passage of this bill.

And that said bill be further amended by re-numbering sections five and six (5 and 6) respectively, as sections six and seven (6 and 7) respectively.

20. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 20, which is as follows:

By adding after line 330 of section 2, of the printed bill the following "available April 1, 1917."

21. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 21, which is as follows:

By striking out all of the paragraph which was added by amendment after line 330, section two of the printed bill which paragraph reads as follows: "For an emergency contingent fund two hundred thousand (\$200,000) dollars to be under the direction of the governor, the members of the legislative visiting committee and the chairman of the senate finance committee, who shall serve without compensation other than

travelling expenses and inserting in lieu thereof the following paragraph:

That the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds not heretofore appropriated for the purpose of purchasing lands and erecting buildings, canneries, abattoirs or for any purpose necessary for the extension of the activities, or for the employment of the labor in any of the state's educational penal or benevolent institutions.

Said sum so appropriated, or any part thereof, may be used only upon the authority of a committee composed of the finance committee in the senate, the visiting committee and the governor of the State and it shall be necessary that four of the five shall concur on any given proposition. Said committee shall serve without compensation other than actual expenses. Said appropriation to be available at passage of the bill.

Respectfully submitted,

McCONAHA,  
WHITE,  
McGONAGLE,  
CHAMBERS,  
CRAVENS,  
BULLER.

On motion of Mr. Cravens, the House concurred in the report of the Conference Committee.

Mr. Curry offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House concur in the Senate amendment to Engrossed House Bill No. 445.

CURRY.

Which motion prevailed.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 368, has had the same under

consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MILLER.

Which report was adopted.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring a bill to be read on three several days be suspended on Engrossed Bill No. 368, that said bill be read a second time, considered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

MILLER of Howard.

Which motion was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Bartel, Behmer, Davis of Lake, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Green, Habermel, Harris, Houghman, Hyland, Jameson, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kuhlman, LaFuze, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Mosier, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Total, 35.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Adams, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Durham, Eikenberry, Gorski, Griffin, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Krieg, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe,

noe and warren, Montgomery, Moore, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Robertson, Ryan, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Walker, Westfall, Winesburg, Wright of Randolph and Mr. Speaker. Total, 56.

So the constitutional rules were not suspended.

Mr. Miller of Howard offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the vote to suspend the constitutional rules on Senate Bill No. 368 be reconsidered.

MILLER of Howard.

Which motion did not prevail.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills No. 221, 407. The same are herewith transmitted for the further action of the House; and have also concurred in House amendments to Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 234 and 371.

And that the Senate has concurred in report of the Joint Conference Committee on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 2 and Engrossed House Bill No. 691.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of Senate.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 269, 684, 234, 496, 236, 7, 591 and that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 421, 429, 348, 104 and Enrolled Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

Mr. McClaskey offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives that the Clerk of the House of Representative be ordered to issued

a voucher for eighty-one dollars and five cents (\$81.05) to the Cartersburg Spring Water Company in payment for drinking water, ice and paper cups furnished to and used by the House of Representatives of the Seventieth General Assembly.

McCLASKEY,  
WOODS.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Douglas offered the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that whereas Robert Bailey, elevator man, has faithfully worked late into the night on many occasions, which overtime amounts to not less than 180 hours, that this House appropriate for such services the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) out of the funds set aside to pay the expenses of this Assembly.

DOUGLAS.

Which was adopted.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 217, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Day, Dilworth, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gentry, Grube, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson, of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, LaFuze, McClaskey, McNagney, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood,

Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph,  
Yoder. Total, 64.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Gorski, Habermel, Harmon, Henke, Hepler, Moore, Walker, Westfall, Williams. Total, 16.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Cravens called down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 112, which had failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson Bartel, Blackmore, Burtt, Cravens, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Geddes, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Miller of Tippecanoe, Myers, Scott, Symons, Turner, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 42.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Baker, Bayer, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Day, Eikenberry, Gorski, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Jameson, Jinnett, McClaskey, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Osborn,

Overmyer, Sambor, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Wright of Clay. Total, 36.

It was declared that the bill had failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 344, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Behmer, Burtt, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Green, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, LaFuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Ryan, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Yoder. Total, 63.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Buller, Eikenberry, Green, Hoffman, Jinnett, Krieg, Myers, Sambor, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 15.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered?

The clerk was ordered to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.



Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 561, 685, 267, 231, 589, 547 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 227, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Dilworth, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Hessong, Hoffman, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Kreig, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Total, 58.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Blackmore, Bonham, Curry, Douglas, Durham, Gorski, Habermel, Harmon, Henke, Hepler, Moore, Walker, Westfall, Williams. Total, 16.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 494 and 682.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 196, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Downey, Durham, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph. Total, 73.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. McClaskey, Montgomery, Mr. Speaker. Total, 3.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 150, 259, 192, 371, 151, 204.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 337, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs: Adams, Alldredge, Anderson' Axby, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cravens, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harmon, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 81.

None voting in the negative.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Message from the Governor.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House Enrolled Bills Nos. 101, 168, 465, 164, 332, 214, 635, 79, 674, 501, 184 and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,  
Governor.

Indianapolis, Ind.  
March 5, 1917.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 230, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 84.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs Houghton and Gorski.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 107, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 84.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 117, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 105, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 177, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 84.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 118, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas,

Durham, Dyne, Eikenberry, Geddes, Houghton, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 269, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dyne, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman,

Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 447, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dyne, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tip-

pecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 173, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walk-

er, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 194, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burtt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 94, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to notify the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 88, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, McClaskey, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Osborn, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Ryan, Sambor, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 83.

Those voting in the negative were:

Mr. Houghton. Total, 1.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 24, which was read a third time in full.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs, Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Bonham, Buller, Coggins, Cravens, Davis of Jay, Day, Dilworth, Durham, Dynes, Eikenberry, Gorski, Grube, Harris, Hepler, Hoffman, Hougham, Jacoby, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McNagly, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Mosier, Mushett, O'Leary, Overmyer, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Walker, Walz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 61.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs, Blackmore, Burt, Cook, Cronin, Curry, Douglas, Geddes, Gentry, Griffin, Harker, Harmon, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Houghton, Hyland, Jinnett, Miltenberger, Moore, Myers, Ryan, Winesburg, Total, 22.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 164 and 244.

motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to confer with the governor and ascertain whether he has any further communications for the House.

Cravens.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed Messrs, Miller, Alldredge and Adams members of said committee.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to wait upon the Senate and ascertain whether it has any further communications to make to the House before it adjourns.

Cravens.

Which motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed Messrs, Kimmel, Wood and Jacoby members of the committee.

Mr. Davis of Jay offers the following resolution:

MR. SPEAKER:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Whereas, during the strenuous days of this session the following Clerks of the House of Representatives have most loyally and efficiently performed their duties, namely: Don P. Strode, Chief Clerk, J. Monroe Fitch, Assistant Clerk, Calvin Ferris, Minute Clerk, Nelson Sampson, File Clerk, Asa J. Smith, Reading Clerk, Charles McClaskey, Roll Clerk, Charles R. Jones, Register Clerk and Guy B. Howren, Calendar Clerk and E. B. Marsh, Endorsing Clerk and Homer Matthews, Chief Enrolling Clerk,



promptly and regularly, have added greatly to the process of legislation,

Therefore, Be It Resolved that this House of Representatives extend to said Clerks a vote of thanks and that the same be recorded in the Journal of the House.

CHESTER C. DAVIS.

Which resolution was adopted.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 226 by Senator Spaan, which was read a second time, being:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred and fourteen of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Miller moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended and that the bill be engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Gorski moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 247, by Senator English:

A bill for an act providing for the appointment of state constables from the membership of the National Horse Thief Detective Association and prescribing their powers and duties.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

The Speaker handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 446, by Senator McKinley, being:

of an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the power of the railroad commission on the public service commission," approved March 4th, 1913.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Miltenberger moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended that the bill be now engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Walker moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion failed.

The question being on the suspension of the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Habermel, Harker, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Moore, Montgomery, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 68.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs, Bonham, Cronin, Day, Durham, Griffin, Walker, Total, 6.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

Message from the Governor.

Mr. Speaker and Member of the House of Representatives:

I return to you, herewith, without my approval House Enrolled Bill No. 15, creating a separate circuit for the county of Warrick, to be known as the second judicial circuit, of the State of Indiana.

An examination of the record of the circuit to be created showing the number of cases filed and disposed of during the past five years, does not show any immediate demand for the creation of this court.

The constitutional convention will undoubtedly authorize the revision of the judicial system of our State, and the general assembly, following the adoption of the new constitution, can deal with this question.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES P. GOODRICH,

March 5, 1917.

Governor.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bill No. 547 and House Concurrent Resolution No. 3.

The committee appointed to wait on the Senate made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee, which was appointed to confer with the Senate to ascertain if that body had any further communication to deliver to the House, begs leave to report that they have further communications.

WOOD,  
JACOBY,  
KIMMEL.

The committee appointed to wait on the Governor reported as follows:

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee appointed to wait upon the Governor and receive further message from him has performed that duty and hereby begs leave to report that the Governor has no further message to transmit to this House.

ALLDREDGE,  
MILLER,  
ADAMS.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 139, by Senator Hirsch:

A bill for an act to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to amend section eighteen (18) and section one hundred one (101) of an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission' approved March 8, 1915."

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Turner moved that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 139 be engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Mr. McGonagle moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 338, by Senator Laney:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "an act defining the forty-seventh (47th) judicial circuit and creating the sixty-eighth (68th) judicial circuit of the State of Indiana; fixing the time for holding courts there-

in; fixing the time for the return of writs, publications, summons and other process, and other matters connected with and pertaining to such courts, approved February 22, 1915, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 64, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act to limit the bringing of actions against fire insurance companies, both stock and mutual, organized under the laws of the State of Indiana.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 391, by Senator Grant:

A bill for an act to amend section one hundred thirty-eight (138) of an act entitled, "An act concerning municipal corporations, approved March 6, 1905.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 261, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act to provide for the establishment, government and maintenance boards of city planning commissioners within municipalities and prescribing their powers and duties.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 293, by Senator Negley:

A bill for an act accepting the tender, by the City of Indianapolis to the State of Indiana, of an interest in land for use as a governor's residence, fixing a name and authorizing the transfer and conveyance thereof.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Sipe moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended; that the bill be engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

The question being on the suspension on the constitutional rules.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Alldredge, Anderson, Axby, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Blackmore, Buller, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Habermel, Harker, Hartke, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Lafuze, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, Montgomery, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Williams, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 69.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bonham, Cronin, Day, Durham, Griffin, Walker, Total, 6.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Burt, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dil-

worth, Douglas, Durham, Dynes, Geddes, Gentry, Gorski, Green, Habermel, Harker, Harris, Haslanger, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jacoby, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miltenberger, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Turner, Vesey, Waltz, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder. Total, 74.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Bayer, Williams. Total, 2.

The bill was declared passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 589 and 407.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your conference committee on Senate Bill No. 42 begs leave to report as follows:

That the House adopt Section ten (10) and lines ten (10) to twenty (20) in Section twenty (20) as originally passed by the Senate, and section even (11) as originally passed by the Senate amended by inserting after the word "engineer" in line twenty-four (24) the following: "If the county commissioners and the state highway engineer fail to agree as to the letting of the contract within five days from the opening of said bids, then the state highway commission shall and is hereby empow-

ered and authorized to let or reject said contract."

And adopt in lieu of section twenty-seven (27) the following:

Section 27. In order to provide funds for carrying out the provisions of this act there is hereby created a state highway fund from the following sources:

(a) The proceeds of the inheritance tax paid into the state treasury on and after April 1st, 1917.

(b) Any money recovered under the provisions of section twenty-six (26) of this act.

(c) Any and all money paid into the state treasury to reimburse the state for money paid out of the state highway funds for construction of highways.

(d) Any and all money provided by any law of this state for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways under this act.

(e) The sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) is hereby appropriated from any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1917, and the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) is hereby appropriated from any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1918, which sums hereby now appropriated are made a part of said highway fund.

(f) Any portion of the state highway fund unexpended at the expiration of any fiscal year shall remain in said fund, together with any interest thereon, and be available for apportionment during succeeding fiscal years. All expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this act shall be paid out of the state highway fund.

Mr. Mendenhall moved that the House concur in the report of the conference committee.

Messrs. Cravens and Durham demand they ayes and noes.

The question being, Shall the House concur in the conference report on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Behmer, Blackmore, Bonham, Buller, Clapp, Coggins, Cook, Cooper, Cravens, Davis, of Jay, Davis of Lake, Day, Dilworth, Douglas, Duffey, Dynes, Eikenberry, Eisterhold, Geddes, Gentry, Harker, Harris, Hartke, Henke, Hepler, Hoffman, Houghton, Hyland, Jameson, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler, Kimmel, Krieg, Kuhlman, Lafuze, McClaskey, McGonagle, McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Miller of Howard, Moore, Mosier, Mushett, Myers, O'Leary, Overmyer, Read, Robertson, Sambor, Scott, Sipe, Swain, Westfall, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wood, Wright of Clay, Wright of Randolph, Yoder, Mr. Speaker. Total, 70.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Axby, Bayer, Burt, Cronin, Curry, Durham, Habermel, Hougham, Jacoby, Ryan, Tucker, Turner, Walker, Waltz. Total, 14.

Which motion prevailed, and the report was adopted.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 609, 590, 569, 571, 351, 532 and also Engrossed House Bill No. 315, with

amendments and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of Senate.

Mr. Dilworth offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the House do now concur in Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 315.

DILWORTH.

Which motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 218, 590, 351, 267, 128, 221, 569, 685.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 281, by Senator Kinder:

A bill for an act relative to the charges for carrying passengers upon railroads between points in the State of Indiana, and repealing all conflicting laws.

The bill was read a second time.

Mr. Jameson offered the following amendment:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 281 by inserting after the word "effect" in line 25 of section one (1), the following: Provided, further, that the public service commission may order all steam railroads operating within the State of Indiana to issue what are known as inter-changeable mileage books providing for travel of not less than one thousand (1,000) miles at a net maximum rate of two cents per mile, and provided, further, That all steam railroads shall issue such interchangeable mileage book transferable without the signature of the original purchaser.

JAMESON.

Which amendment was adopted.

The bill was ordered engrossed.

Mr. Davis of Lake moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended; that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 281 be considered engrossed, read a third time and placed on its passage.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Vesey moved to lay the motion on the table.

Which motion was lost.

McGonagle's motion prevailed and Engrossed Senate Bill No. 281 was indefinitely postponed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 315, by Senator McKinley:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the minimum wages to teachers in public schools," approved March 2, 1907, approved March 1, 1911;" and to amend section two (2) of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the minimum wages of teachers in public schools," approved March 2, 1907," approved February 28, 1913, and making classification of teachers.

The bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Yoder offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended and that engrossed Senate Bill No. 315 be read the third time and placed upon its passage.

Mr. Davis of Jay moved to lay the motion on the table.

Motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in the report of the Joint Conference Committee on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 42.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Miller of Howard moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to suspend the constitutional rules on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 368.

Which motion was lost.

Mr. Cravens offered the following motion:

MR. SPEAKER:

I move the constitutional rule requiring all bills to be read on three several days of the session be suspended and Senate Bill 64 be read the third time and placed on its passage.

CRAVENS.

Which was seconded by a majority of the House.

The question being, Shall the constitutional rule be suspended?

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alldredge, Anderson, Baker, Bartel, Bayer, Behmer, Buller, Burt, Cook, Cravens, Cronin, Davis of Jay, Davis of Lake, Dilworth, Douglas, Dynes, Geddes, Gorski, Griffin, Grube, Harmon, Haslanget, Henke, Hepler, Hessong, Hoffman, Hougham, Hyland, Jacoby, Jinnett, Johnson of Grant, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kessler,

McNagny, Mason, Mendenhall, Miller of Howard, Miltenberger, O'Leary, Read, Robertson, Scott, Swain, Symons, Tucker, Vesey, Walker, Westrick, Winesburg, Woods, Wright of Randolph Yoder. Total, 56.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Blackmore, Clapp, Coggins, Curry, Day, Durham, Eikenberry, Harker, Jinnett, Lafuze, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Moore, Mosier, Myers, Turner, Williams, Wood, Wright of Clay. Total, 18.

So the constitutional rules were not suspended.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 520 and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 261 and same is herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bills Nos. 261, 662, 614, 520, 364, 231, 572, 89, 571, 532, 310, 315 and House Concurrent Resolution No. 2 and Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 107, 129, 209, 227, 184, 230, 387, 344, 217, 609, 235, 196, 433, 2, 173, 94, 194, 42, 269, 337, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, also Senate Joint Resolution No. 14.

Mr. Speaker and Member of the House of the Seventieth General Assembly:

I beg leave to advise that I have approved House Enrolled Joint Resolution No. 5, 7, and have caused the same to be deposited in the office of Secretary of State.

Respectfully,

J. P. GOODRICH,

March 5, 1917.

Governor.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 89, 572 and 364 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Message from the Senate.

MR. SPEAKER:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 310 and Senate Resolution No. 34 and same are herewith transmitted for the action of the House.

GUY R. YORK,  
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. McGonagle moved that the House adjourn sine die.

Which motion prevailed and the House adjourned at 12:00 o'clock.

JESSE E. ESCHBACH,  
Speaker House of Representatives.

J. MONROE FITCH,  
Assistant Clerk of House of Representatives.

ADAMS, GEORGE E.

January 13, warrant No. 5, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 180 mileage.....	11.20
January 27, warrant No. 276 per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 428 per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 571 per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 722 per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 884 per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	\$377.20

ALLDREDGE, JOHN S.

January 13, warrant No. 1, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 181, mileage.....	14.40
January 27, warrant No. 277, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 429, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 572, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 723, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 885, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	\$380.40

ANDERSON, EMIL V.

January 13, warrant No. 2, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 182, mileage.....	60.00
January 27, warrant No. 278, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 430, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 573, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 724, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 886, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	\$426.00

AXBY, J. LEONARD.

January 13, warrant No. 3, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 183, mileage.....	40.00
January 27, warrant No. 279, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 431, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 574, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 725, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 887, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	\$406.00

BAKER, WILLIAM H.

January 13, warrant No. 4, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 184, mileage.....	34.00
January 27, warrant No. 280, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 432, per diem.....	42.00



February 10, warrant No. 575, per diem.....	\$ 42.00
February 17, warrant No. 726, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 888, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$400.00

**BARTEL, WILLIAM H., Jr.**

January 13, warrant No. 6, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 185, mileage.....	27.20
January 27, warrant No. 281, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 433, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 576, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 727, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 889, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$393.20

**BAYER, GEORGE A.**

January 13, warrant No. 7, per diem.....	\$60.00
January 20, warrant No. 186, mileage.....	84.40
January 27, warrant No. 282, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 434, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 577, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 883, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 890, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$450.40

**BEHMER, WALTER J.**

January 13, warrant No. 8, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 187, mileage.....	31.20
January 27, warrant No. 283, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 435, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 578, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 728, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 891, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$397.20

**BLACKMORE, DAVID M.**

January 13, warrant No. 9, per diem.....	\$60.00
January 20, warrant No. 188, mileage.....	18.80
January 27, warrant No. 284, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 436, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 579, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 729, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 892, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$384.80

**BONHAM, JOHN M.**

January 13, warrant No. 10, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 189, mileage.....	30.00
January 27, warrant No. 285, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 437, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 580, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 730, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 893, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$396.00

**BULLER, OLIVER.**

January 13, warrant No. 11, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 190, mileage.....	24.40
January 27, warrant No. 286, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 438, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 581, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 731, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 894, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$390.40

**BURTT, AMOS H.**

January 13, warrant No. 12, per diem.....	\$60.00
January 20, warrant No. 191, mileage.....	44.00
January 27, warrant No. 287, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 439, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 582, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 732, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 895, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$410.00

**CLAPP, MELVILLE N.**

January 13, warrant No. 13, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 192, mileage.....	53.60
January 27, warrant No. 288, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 525, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 583, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 733, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 896, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$419.60

**COGGINS, CHARLES M.**

January 13, warrant No. 14, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 193, mileage.....	32.00
January 27, warrant No. 289, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 526, per diem.....	42.00

February 10, warrant No. 584, per diem.....	\$ 42.00
February 17, warrant No. 734, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 897, per diem.....	96.00

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Total .....	\$398.00
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COOK, OTIS.

January 13, warrant No. 15, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 194, mileage.....	28.80
January 27, warrant No. 290, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 441, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 585, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 735, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 898, per diem.....	96.00

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Total.....	\$394.80
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COOPER, GEORGE H.

January 13, warrant No. 16, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 195, mileage.....	8.00
January 27, warrant No. 291, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 442, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 586, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 736, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 899, per diem.....	96.00

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Total....	\$374.00
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CRAVENS, JOSEPH M.

January 13, warrant No. 17, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 196, mileage.....	34.80
January 27, warrant No. 292, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 443, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 587, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 737, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 900, per diem.....	96.00

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Total.....	\$400.80
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CRONIN, JOHN L.

January 13, warrant No. 18, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 197, mileage.....	28.80
January 27, warrant No. 293, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 527, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 589, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 738, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 901, per diem.....	96.00

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Total.....	\$394.80
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January 13, warrant No. 19, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 198, mileage.....	42.80
January 27, warrant No. 294, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 444, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 590, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 739, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 902, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$408.80

#### DAVIS, CHESTER A.

January 13, warrant No. 20, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 199, mileage.....	38.00
January 27, warrant No. 295, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 445, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 591, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 740, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 903, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$404.00

#### DAVIS, EDWIN C.

January 13, warrant No. 21, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 200, mileage.....	62.00
January 27, warrant No. 296, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 446, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 592, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 741, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 904, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$428.00

#### DAY, JAMES I.

January 13, warrant No. 22, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 201, mileage.....	66.00
January 27, warrant No. 297, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 447, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 593, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 742, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 905, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$432.00

#### DILWORTH, JOHN B.

January 13, warrant No. 23, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 202, mileage.....	58.80
January 27, warrant No. 298, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 448, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 594, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 743, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 906, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$424.80

## DOUGLAS, MAURICE.

January 13, warrant No. 24, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 203, mileage.....	17.20
January 27, warrant No. 299, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 449, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 595, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 744, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 907, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$383.20</u>

## DOWNEY, JOHN P.

January 13, warrant No. 25, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 204, mileage.....	72.80
January 27, warrant No. 378, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 450, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 596, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 745, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 908, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$438.80</u>

## DUFFEY, LUKE M.

January 13, warrant No. 26, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 377, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 528, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 597, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 746, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 909, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$366.00</u>

## DURHAM, ANDREW E.

January 13, warrant No. 27, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 205, mileage.....	16.00
January 27, warrant No. 301, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 451, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 598, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 747, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 910, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$382.00</u>

## DYNES, HARRY B.

January 13, warrant No. 28, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 302, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 452, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 599, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 748, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 911, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$366.00</u>

**EIKENBERRY, ELMER E.**

January 13, warrant No. 29, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 206, mileage .....	22.00
January 27, warrant No. 303, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 453, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 600, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 749, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 912, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$388.00

**EISTERHOLD, EUGENE J.**

January 13, warrant No. 30, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 207, mileage .....	72.80
January 27, warrant No. 304, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 454, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 601, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 750, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 913, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$438.80

**ESCHBACH, JESSE E.**

January 13, warrant No. 32, per diem .....	\$ 80.00
January 20, warrant No. 208, mileage .....	48.00
January 27, warrant No. 305, per diem .....	112.00
February 3, warrant No. 456, per diem .....	56.00
February 10, warrant No. 603, per diem .....	56.00
February 17, warrant No. 752, per diem .....	56.00
February 24, warrant No. 915, per diem .....	128.00

Total..... \$536.00

**GEDDES, R. FELIX.**

January 13, warrant No. 31, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 306, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 455, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 602, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 751, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 914, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$366.00

**GENTRY, FRANK H.**

January 13, warrant No. 33, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 210, mileage .....	22.00
January 27, warrant No. 307, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 457, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 604, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 753, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 916, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$388.00

## GORSKI, MARION S.

January 13, warrant No. 34, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 211, mileage .....	58.40
January 27, warrant No. 308, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 458, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 605, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 754, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 917, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$424.40

## GREEN, BURTON.

January 13, warrant No. 35, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 212, mileage .....	34.80
January 27, warrant No. 309, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 459, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 606, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 755, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 918, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$400.80

## GRIFFIN, GEORGE R.

January 13, warrant No. 36, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 213, mileage .....	22.00
January 27, warrant No. 310, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 460, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 607, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 756, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 919, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$388.00

## GRUBE, CLEVE H.

January 13, warrant No. 37, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 214, mileage .....	70.00
January 27, warrant No. 311, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 461, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 608, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 757, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 920, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$436.00

## HABERMEL, WILLIAM.

January 13, warrant No. 38, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 216, mileage .....	56.00
January 27, warrant No. 312, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 462, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 609, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 758, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 921, per diem .....	96.00

Total..... \$422.00

**HARKER, RUSSELL P.**

January 13, warrant No. 39, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 217, mileage.....	23.20
January 27, warrant No. 313, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 463, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 610, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 759, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 922, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$389.20

**HARMON, HARVEY.**

January 13, warrant No. 40, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 218, mileage.....	62.00
January 27, warrant No. 314, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 464, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 611, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 760, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 923, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$428.00

**HARRIS, J. GLENN.**

January 13, warrant No. 41, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 219, mileage.....	69.20
January 27, warrant No. 315, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 465, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 612, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 761, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 924, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$435.20

**HARTKE, CHRISTIAN H.**

January 13, warrant No. 42, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 220, mileage.....	60.00
January 27, warrant No. 316, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 466, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 613, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 762, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 925, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$426.00

**HASLANGER, GUSTAV F.**

January 13, warrant No. 43, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 221, mileage.....	58.40
January 27, warrant No. 317, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 467, per diem.....	42.00



February 10, warrant No. 614, per diem.....	\$ 42.00
February 17, warrant No. 763, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 926, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$424.00</u>

## HENKE, CHRISTIAN D.

January 13, warrant No. 44, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 222, mileage.....	52.00
January 27, warrant No. 318, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 468, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 615, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 764, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 927, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$418.00</u>

## HEPLER, GEORGE Y.

January 13, warrant No. 45, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 223, mileage.....	59.60
January 27, warrant No. 319, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 469, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 616, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 765, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 928, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$425.60</u>

## HESSONG, THOMAS P.

January 13, warrant No. 46, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 224, mileage.....	14.00
January 27, warrant No. 320, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 470, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 617, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 766, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 929, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$380.00</u>

## HOFFMAN, JOHN H.

January 13, warrant No. 47, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 225, mileage.....	70.00
January 27, warrant No. 321, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 471, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 618, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 767, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 930, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$436.00</u>

**HOUGHAM, ROBERT B.**

January 13, warrant No. 48, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 226, mileage .....	8.00
January 27, warrant No. 322, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 472, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 619, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 768, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 931, per diem .....	96.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$374.00</b>

**HOUGHTON, HILEARY Q.**

January 13, warrant No. 49, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 227 mileage .....	48.00
January 27, warrant No. 323, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 473, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 620, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 769, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 1002, per diem .....	96.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$414.00</b>

**HYLAND, MARTIN J.**

January 13, warrant No. 50, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 324, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 474, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 621, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 771, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,003, per diem .....	96.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$366.00</b>

**JACOBY, RALPH R.**

January 13, warrant No. 51, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 228, mileage .....	48.00
January 27, warrant No. 325, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 475, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 623, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 772, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 933, per diem .....	96.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$414.00</b>

**JAMESON, DONALD.**

January 13, warrant No. 52, per diem .....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 326, per diem .....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 476, per diem .....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 624, per diem .....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 773, per diem .....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 934, per diem .....	96.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$366.00</b>

January 13, warrant No. 53, per diem	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 229, mileage	14.80
January 27, warrant No. 327, per diem	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 477, per diem	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 625, per diem	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 774, per diem	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 935, per diem	96.00

Total..... \$380.80

#### JOHNSON, CHARLES A.

January 13, warrant No. 54, per diem	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 230, mileage	26.80
January 27, warrant No. 328, per diem	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 478, per diem	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 626, per diem	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 775, per diem	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 936, per diem	96.00

Total..... \$392.80

#### JOHNSON, ELMER.

January 13, warrant No. 55, per diem	\$60.00
January 20, warrant No. 232, mileage	55.60
January 27, warrant No. 329, per diem	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 479, per diem	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 627, per diem	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 776, per diem	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 937, per diem	96.00

Total..... \$421.60

#### KESSLER, IRA A.

January 13, warrant No. 56, per diem	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 233, mileage	28.80
January 27, warrant No. 330, per diem	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 480, per diem	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 628, per diem	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 777, per diem	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 938, per diem	96.00

Total..... \$394.80

#### KIMMEL, FRANK.

January 13, warrant No. 57, per diem	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 234, mileage	26.00
January 27, warrant No. 331, per diem	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 481, per diem	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 629, per diem	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 778, per diem	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 939, per diem	96.00

Total..... \$392.00

January 13, warrant No. 58, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 235, mileage.....	44.00
January 27, warrant No. 332, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 482, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 630, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 779, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 940, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$410.00

**KUHLMAN, CHARLES H.**

January 13, warrant No. 59, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 333, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 483, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 631, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 780, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 941, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$366.00

**LAFUZE, OLIVER P.**

January 13, warrant No. 60, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 236, mileage.....	29.20
January 27, warrant No. 334, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 484, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 632, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 781, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 942, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$395.20

**McCLASKEY, ROBERT W.**

January 13, warrant No. 61, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 237, mileage.....	81.20
January 27, warrant No. 335, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 485, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 633, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 782, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 943, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$447.20

**McGONAGLE, CHARLES A.**

January 13, warrant No. 62, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 238, mileage.....	22.00
January 27, warrant No. 336, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 486, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 634, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 783, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 944, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$388.00

January 13, warrant No. 63, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 239, mileage.....	57.60
January 27, warrant No. 337, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 487, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 635, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 734, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 945, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$423.60

MASON, JAMES K.

January 13, warrant No. 64, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 240, mileage.....	28.00
January 27, warrant No. 338, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 488, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 636, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 785, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 946, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$394.00

MENDENHALL, CHARLES L.

January 13, warrant No. 65, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 241, mileage.....	4.80
January 27, warrant No. 339, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 489, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 637, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 786, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 947, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$370.80

MILES, WILLIAM J.

January 13, warrant No. 66, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 242, mileage.....	20.80
January 27, warrant No. 340, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 490, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 638, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 787, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 948, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$386.80

MILLER, HENRY A.

January 13, warrant No. 67, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 244, mileage.....	30.00
January 27, warrant No. 341, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 491, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 639, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 788, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 949, per diem.....	96.00

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Total..... \$396.00

**MILLER, NEWMAN, T.**

January 13, warrant No. 68, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 243, mileage.....	22.80
January 27, warrant No. 342, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 492, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 640, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 789, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 950, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$388.80

**MILTENBERGER, JACOB D.**

January 13, warrant No. 69, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 245, mileage.....	22.00
January 27, warrant No. 343, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 493, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 641, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 790, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 951, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$388.00

**MONTGOMERY, GEORGE N.**

January 13, warrant No. 70, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 344, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 494, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 642, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 791, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 952, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$366.00

**MOORE, FRANCIS E.**

January 13, warrant No. 71, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 246, mileage.....	53.60
January 27, warrant No. 345, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 495, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 643, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 792, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 953, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$419.60

**MOSIER, J. W.**

January 13, warrant No. 72, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 247, mileage.....	32.00
January 27, warrant No. 346, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 496, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 644, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 793, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 954, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$398.00

**MUSHETT, JOHN W.**

January 13, warrant No. 73, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 248, mileage.....	35.20
January 27, warrant No. 347, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 497, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 645, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 794, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 955, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<b>\$401.20</b>

**MYERS, ARTEMUS H.**

January 13, warrant No. 74, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 249, mileage.....	8.00
January 27, warrant No. 348, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 498, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 646, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 795, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 956, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<b>\$374.00</b>

**O'LEARY, PATRICK.**

January 13, warrant No. 75, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 250, mileage.....	28.80
January 27, warrant No. 349, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 499, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 647, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 796, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 957, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<b>\$394.80</b>

**OSBORN, L. T.**

January 13, warrant No. 76, per diem.....	\$60.00
January 20, warrant No. 251, mileage.....	80.80
January 27, warrant No. 350, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 500, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 648, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 797, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 958, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<b>\$446.80</b>

**OVERMYER, JOHN J.**

January 13, warrant No. 77, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 252, mileage.....	58.80
January 27, warrant No. 351, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 501, per diem.....	42.00

February 10, warrant No. 649, per diem.....	\$ 42.00
February 17, warrant No. 798, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 959, per diem.....	96.00

Total.....	\$424.80
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READ, HORACE G.

January 13, warrant No. 78, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 253, mileage.....	16.00
January 27, warrant No. 375, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 502, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 650, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 800, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 960, per diem.....	96.00

Total.....	\$382.00
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ROBERTSON, JOSEPH M.

January 13, warrant No. 79, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 254, mileage.....	28.00
January 27, warrant No. 376, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 503, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 651, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 801, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 961, per diem.....	96.00

Total.....	\$394.00
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RYAN, JOHN.

January 13, warrant No. 80, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 255, mileage.....	63.20
January 27, warrant No. 353, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 504, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 652, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 802, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 962, per diem.....	96.00

Total.....	\$429.20
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SAMBOR, ANDREW H.

January 13, warrant No. 81, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 256, mileage.....	62.00
January 27, warrant No. 354, per diem.....	84.00
January 27, warrant No. 374, mileage.....	6.00
February 3, warrant No. 505, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 653, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 803, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 963, per diem.....	96.00

Total.....	\$434.00
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## SCOTT, ALEXANDER M.

January 13, warrant No. 82, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 355, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 506, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 654, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 804, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 964, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$366.00</u>

## SIPE, RICHARD V.

January 13, warrant No. 83, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 356, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 507, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 655, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 805, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 965, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$366.00</u>

## SOUTHARD, JAMES E.

January 13, warrant No. 84, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 257, mileage.....	64.40
January 27, warrant No. 357, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 508, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 656, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 806, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 966, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$430.40</u>

## SWAIN, WILLIAM M.

January 13, warrant No. 85, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 258, mileage.....	11.20
January 27, warrant No. 358, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 509, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 657, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 807, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 967, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$377.20</u>

## SYMONS, LUTHER F.

January 13, warrant No. 86, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 259, mileage.....	17.20
January 27, warrant No. 359, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 510, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 658, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 808, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 968, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<u>\$383.20</u>

**TUCKER, ERROL A.**

January 13, warrant No. 87, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 260, mileage.....	16.80
January 27, warrant No. 360, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 511, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 659, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 809, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 969, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$382.80

**TURNER, CHARLES R.**

January 13, warrant No. 88, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 261, mileage.....	46.00
January 27, warrant No. 361, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 512, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 660, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 810, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 970, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$412.00

**VESEY, DICK M.**

January 13, warrant No. 89, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 262, mileage.....	48.00
January 27, warrant No. 362, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 513, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 661, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 811, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 971, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$414.00

**WALKER, JOSEPH W.**

January 13, warrant No. 90, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 263, mileage.....	48.80
January 27, warrant No. 363, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 514, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 662, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 812, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 972, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$414.80

**WALTZ, JOSEPH W.**

January 13, warrant No. 91, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 264, mileage.....	72.80
January 27, warrant No. 364, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 515, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 663, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 813, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 973, per diem.....	96.00

Total..... \$438.80

January 13, warrant No. 92, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 265, mileage.....	49.60
January 27, warrant No. 365, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 516, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 664, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 814, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 974, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$415.60

WESTRICK, JOSEPH J.

January 13, warrant No. 93, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 266, mileage.....	28.00
January 27, warrant No. 366, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 517, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 665, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 815, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 975, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$394.00

WILLIAMS, WILLIAM E.

January 13, warrant No. 94, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 267, mileage.....	80.00
January 27, warrant No. 367, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 518, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 666, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 816, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 976, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$446.00

WINESBURG, JOHN W.

January 13, warrant No. 95, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 268, mileage.....	40.00
January 27, warrant No. 368, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 519, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 667, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 817, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 977, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$406.00

WOOD, WILLIAM L.

January 13, warrant No. 97, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 231, mileage.....	50.40
January 27, warrant No. 370, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 521, per diem.....	42.00

February 10, warrant No. 669, per diem.....	\$ 42.00
February 17, warrant No. 819, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 981, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$416.40

**WOODS, WILLIAM D.**

January 13, warrant No. 96, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 27, warrant No. 369, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 520, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 668, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 818, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 978, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$366.00

**WRIGHT, FRANK.**

January 13, warrant No. 98, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 269, mileage.....	22.80
January 27, warrant No. 371, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 522, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 670, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 820, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 982, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$388.80

**WRIGHT, FRANK E.**

January 13, warrant No. 99, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 270, mileage.....	28.40
January 27, warrant No. 372, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 523, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 671, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 821, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 980, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$394.40

**YODER, JONATHAN S.**

January 13, warrant No. 100, per diem.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 271, mileage.....	56.00
January 27, warrant No. 373, per diem.....	84.00
February 3, warrant No. 524, per diem.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 672, per diem.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 822, per diem.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 983, per diem.....	96.00
Total.....	<hr/> \$422.00

## EMPLOYEES

## ACRE, ROBERT H., Principal Doorkeeper.

January 13, warrant No. 137.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 275.....	42.00
January 27, warrant No. 424.....	42.00
February 3, warrant No. 531.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 693.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 879.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,038.....	96.00

61 days at \$6.00 per day..... \$366.00

## ADAIR HAROLD, Page.

January 13, warrant No. 124.....	\$ 18.00
January 20, warrant No. 170.....	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 404.....	21.00
January 27, warrant No. 421.....	3.00
February 3, warrant No. 557.....	24.00

28 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$84.00

## ALE FERN, Stenographer.

January 13, warrant No. 119.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 164.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 399.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 552.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 687.....	25.00
February 17, warrant No. 833.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 994.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,049.....	32.16

60 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$207.16

## ALLDREDGE, CROMER, Page.

February 10, warrant No. 702.....	\$ 15.00
February 17, warrant No. 858.....	21.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,020.....	21.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,072.....	27.00

28 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$84.00

## ANDERSON, MARY, Stenographer.

February 10, warrant No. 697.....	\$ 21.00
February 17, warrant No. 841.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,004.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,057.....	32.16

30 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$103.16

BAKER, JOHN H., Courtroom Custodian	\$ 25.00
January 13, warrant No. 115	25.00
January 20, warrant No. 160	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 395	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 548	18.00
February 10, warrant No. 700	21.00
February 17, warrant No. 830	21.00
February 24, warrant No. 991	27.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,046	

48 days at \$25.00 per week for 4 weeks—  
\$3.00 per day for 29 days..... \$187.00

**BAKER, FRANK, Janitor.**

February 10, warrant No. 699	\$ 15.00
February 17, warrant No. 843	21.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,006	21.00
February 26, warrant 1,059	27.00

28 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$84.00

**BAILEY, JAMES, Janitor.**

January 13, warrant No. 140	\$ 27.00
January 20, warrant No. 175	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 426	6.00

17 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$51.00

**BARNES, C. D., Enrolling Clerk.**

February 17, warrant No. 870	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,028	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,079	45.00

29 days at \$5.00 per day..... \$145.00

**BEBOUT, JAMES, Engrossing Clerk.**

February 10, warrant No. 716	\$ 25.00
February 17, warrant No. 854	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,016	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,068	32.16

30 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$107.16

**BEHMER, JOSEPH, Doorkeeper.**

February 10, warrant No. 710	\$ 25.00
February 17, warrant No. 861	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,022	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,074	32.16

30 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$107.16

January 13, warrant No. 133.....	\$ 45.00
January 20, warrant No. 179.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 410.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 569.....	35.00
30 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$150.00
<b>BLAKELEY, OLIVER S., Doorkeeper.</b>	
February 10, warrant No. 711.....	\$ 25.00
February 17, warrant No. 851.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,014.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,066.....	32.16
30 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$107.16
<b>BLOUGH, FLOYD, Engrossing Clerk.</b>	
January 13, warrant No. 123.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 169.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 403.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 556.....	25.00
28 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$100.00
<b>BROOKS, FRED, Enrolling Clerk.</b>	
February 26, warrant No. 1,086.....	
17 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$85.00
<b>BROOKS, MABEL E., Stenographer.</b>	
January 20, warrant No. 144.....	\$ 25.00
January 27, warrant No. 379.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 532.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 673.....	25.00
February 17, warrant No. 837.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 998.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,053.....	32.16
51 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$182.16
<b>CARR, WILLIAM, Janitor.</b>	
January 13, warrant No. 142.....	\$27.00
January 20, warrant No. 177.....	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 427.....	6.00
17 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$51.00
<b>COMER, ELMER, Doorkeeper.</b>	
January 13, warrant No. 110.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 155.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 390.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 543.....	25.00
28 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$100.00

February 10, warrant No. 703.....	\$ 18.00
February 17, warrant No. 845.....	21.00
February 21, warrant No. 1,008.....	21.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,061.....	27.00

29 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$87.00

DAY, GEORGE, Page.

February 10, warrant No. 705.....	\$ 18.00
February 17, warrant No. 859.....	21.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,021.....	21.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,073.....	27.00

29 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$87.00

DOBBINS, E. R., Doorkeeper.

January 13, warrant No. 134.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 154.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 389.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 542.....	25.00

28 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$100.00

EDWARDS, CHAS. V., Enrolling Clerk.

February 17, warrant No. 869.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,027.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,078.....	45.00

28 days at \$5.00 per day..... \$145.00

ELLIOTT, LUCY M., Stenographer.

February 26, warrant No. 1,087.....	
33 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$121.42

FARIS, CALVIN, Minute Clerk.

January 13, warrant No. 139.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 152.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 387.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 540.....	35.00
February 10, warrant No. 679.....	35.00
February 17, warrant No. 829.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 990.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,045.....	45.00

57 days at \$5.00 per day..... \$285.00



January 13, warrant No. 136.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 274.....	42.00
January 27, warrant No. 423.....	42.00
February 3, warrant No. 530.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 694.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 880.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,037.....	96.00

61 days at \$6.00 per day..... \$366.00

FROSS, GEO. JR., Page.

January 13, warrant No. 125.....	\$ 18.00
January 20, warrant No. 171.....	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 405.....	21.00
January 27, warrant No. 417.....	3.00
February 3, warrant No. 558.....	24.00

28 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$84.00

GARMIRE, RUTH, Stenographer.

January 27, warrant No. 414.....	\$ 20.80
February 3, warrant No. 565.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 690.....	25.00
February 17, warrant No. 839.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,000.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,055.....	32.16

42 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$152.96

GRIBBEN, GEORGE, Doorkeeper.

February 10, warrant No. 708.....	\$ 25.00
February 17, warrant No. 849.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,012.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,064.....	32.16

30 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$107.16

GRONINGER, ELLA M., Stenographer.

January 13, warrant No. 118.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 163.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 398.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 551.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 686.....	25.00
February 17, warrant No. 832.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 993.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,048.....	32.16

60 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$207.16

HALL, EDWARD, Page.

February 10, warrant No. 704.....	\$ 18.00
February 17, warrant No. 846.....	21.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,009.....	21.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,062.....	27.00

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29 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$87.00
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HAMILTON, TAYLOR, Doorkeeper.

January 13, warrant No. 113.....	\$37.50
January 20, warrant No. 158.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 393.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 546.....	19.65

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30 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$107.15
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HARDWICK, VERN, Stenographer.

February 10, warrant No. 719.....	\$ 32.16
February 17, warrant No. 857.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,019.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,071.....	32.16

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32 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$114.32
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HATTEN, EARL, Enrolling Clerk.

February 10, warrant No. 721—7 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$ 25.00
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HEDGES, OMAR, Enrolling Clerk.

February 17, warrant No. 867.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,025.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,076.....	45.00

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29 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$145.00
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HEINY, HENRY, Page.

January 27, warrant No. 412.....	\$ 18.00
February 3, warrant No. 561.....	24.00
February 10, warrant No. 715.....	3.00

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15 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$45.00
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HOWREN, GUY, E., Journal Clerk.

January 13, warrant No. 103.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 147.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 382.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 535.....	35.00
February 10, warrant No. 676.....	35.00
February 17, warrant No. 824.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 985.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,040.....	45.00

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57 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$285.00
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February 17, warrant No. 871.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,029.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,080.....	45.00
29 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$145.00
JAMES, ROY, Enrolling Clerk.	
February 17, warrant No. 872.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,030.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,081.....	45.00
29 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$145.00
JASPER, WILLIAM, Janitor.	
January 27, warrant No. 416.....	\$ 24.00
February 3, warrant No. 563.....	21.00
February 10, warrant No. 683.....	9.00
18 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$54.00
JAY, JAMES, Page.	
February 10, warrant No. 706.....	\$ 18.00
February 17, warrant No. 847.....	21.00
February 21, warrant No. 1,010.....	21.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,063.....	27.00
29 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$87.00
JEFFERSON, MICHAEL, Page.	
January 13, warrant No. 126.....	\$ 18.00
January 20, warrant No. 172.....	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 406.....	21.00
January 27, warrant No. 420.....	3.00
February 3, warrant No. 559.....	24.00
28 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$84.00
JOHNSON, ROBERT, Janitor.	
February 10, warrant No. 718.....	\$ 18.00
February 17, warrant No. 856.....	21.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,018.....	21.00
20 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$60.00
JONES, CHARLES, Registry Clerk.	
January 13, warrant No. 105.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 149.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 384.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 537.....	35.00

February 10, warrant No. 677.....	\$ 35.00
February 17, warrant No. 826.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 987.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,042.....	45.00
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57 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$285.00
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KENNEDY, MANUEL, Doorkeeper.	
February 10, warrant No. 709.....	\$ 25.00
February 17, warrant No. 850.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,013.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,065.....	32.16
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30 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$107.16
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KIMMELL, A. C., Enrolling Clerk.	
February 17, warrant No. 881.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,033.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,084.....	45.00
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29 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$145.00
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KING, HOWARD, Page.	
January 27, warrant No. 413.....	\$ 18.00
February 3, warrant No. 562.....	24.00
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14 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$42.00
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KING, CHARLES, Enrolling Clerk.	
February 17, warrant No. 866.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant 1,024.....	35.00
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20 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$100.00
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KUHN, EDWARD, Doorkeeper.	
February 10, warrant No. 713.....	\$ 28.58
March 2, warrant No. 1,089.....	7.16
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10 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$35.74
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LACOUNT, ARTHUR, Doorkeeper.	
January 13, warrant No. 112.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 157.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 392.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 545.....	25.00
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28 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$100.00
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LANCASTER, H. H., Doorkeeper.	
March 2, warrant No. 1,090 8 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$ 28.58

MARSH, E. B., Enrolling Clerk.	
February 17, warrant No. 873.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,031.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,082.....	45.00
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29 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$145.00
MARSHALL, WALTER, Janitor.	
January 13, warrant No. 141.....	\$ 27.00
January 20, warrant No. 176.....	18.00
February 3, warrant No. 567.....	21.00
February 10, warrant No. 685.....	9.00
January 27, warrant No. 408.....	21.00
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32 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$96.00
MATTHEWS, HOMER L., Principal Enrolling Clerk.	
January 13, warrant No. 106.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 150.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 385.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 538.....	40.00
February 10, warrant No. 720.....	30.00
February 17, warrant No. 827.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 988.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,043.....	45.00
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57 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$285.00
McCUNE, JOS., Enrolling Clerk.	
February 17, warrant No. 868.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,026.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,077.....	45.00
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28 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$145.00
McCLASKEY, CHARLES E., Roll Clerk.	
January 13, warrant No. 102.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 146.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 381.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 534.....	35.00
February 10, warrant No. 675.....	35.00
February 17, warrant No. 823.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 984.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,035.....	45.00
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57 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$285.00
McKOWN, FRANK C., Doorkeeper.	
February 10, warrant No. 712.....	\$ 28.58
February 17, warrant No. 852.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,015.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,067.....	32.16
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31 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$110.74

February 10, warrant No. 717.....	\$ 25.00
February 17, warrant No. 855.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,017.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,069.....	32.16

30 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$107.16

McNUTT, RUTH J., Stenographer.

January 13, warrant No. 121.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 166.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 400.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 553.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 688.....	25.00
February 17, warrant No. 834.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 995.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,050.....	32.16

60 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$207.16

NEWLIN, E. V., Doorkeeper.

January 13, warrant No. 114.....	\$ 37.50
January 20, warrant No. 159.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 394.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 547.....	19.65

30 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$107.15

OWEN, HENRY, Janitor.

January 27, warrant No. 415.....	\$ 24.00
February 3, warrant No. 564.....	21.00
February 10, warrant No. 684.....	9.00

18 days at \$3.00 per day..... \$54.00

PLOWMAN, WARREN, Doorkeeper.

February 17, warrant No. 882.....	\$ 17.85
February 24, warrant 1,034.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,085.....	32.16

21 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$75.01

ROCKWELL, J. IRL, Enrolling Clerk.

February 17, warrant No. 874.....	\$ 65.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,032.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,083.....	45.00

29 days at \$5.00 per day..... \$145.00

**SAMPSON, NELSON A., File Clerk.**

January 13, warrant No. 107.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 151.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 386.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 539.....	35.00
February 10, warrant No. 678.....	35.00
February 17, warrant No. 828.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 989.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,044.....	45.00

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57 days at \$5.00 per day..... \$285.00

**SAMSON, PEARL, Stenographer.**

January 13, warrant No. 116.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 161.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 396.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 549.....	25.00

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28 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$100.00

**SAYLOR, A. D., Engrossing Clerk.**

February 3, warrant No. 570, 13 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$ 46.95
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**SHAW, J. J., Doorkeeper.**

January 13, warrant No. 111.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 156.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 391.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 544.....	25.00

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28 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$100.00

**SKINNER, WARD, Engrossing Clerk.**

February 10, warrant No. 695.....	\$ 25.00
February 17, warrant No. 840.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,001.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,056.....	32.16

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30 days at \$25.00 per week..... \$107.16

**SMITH, LYNN, Postmaster.**

February 10, warrant No. 701.....	\$ 30.00
February 17, warrant No. 844.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,007.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,060.....	45.00

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29 days at \$5.00 per day..... \$145.00

**SMITH, ASA J., Reading Clerk.**

January 13, warrant No. 104.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 148.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 383.....	35.00

February 10, warrant No. 714.....	5.00
February 17, warrant No. 825.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 986.....	35.00
February 26, warrants No. 1,041.....	45.00

52 days at \$5.00 per day..... **\$260.00**

**STRODE, DON P., Principal Clerk.**

January 13, warrant No. 135.....	\$ 60.00
January 20, warrant No. 273.....	42.00
January 27, warrant No. 422.....	42.00
February 3, warrant No. 529.....	42.00
February 10, warrant No. 692.....	42.00
February 17, warrant No. 877.....	42.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,039.....	96.00

61 days at \$6.00 per day..... **\$366.00**

**THIEL, JOHN W., Endorsing Clerk.**

January 13, warrant No. 109.....	\$ 30.00
January 20, warrant No. 153.....	35.00
January 27, warrant No. 388.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 541.....	40.00

28 days at \$5.00 per day..... **\$140.00**

**THOMPSON, GRACE, Stenographer.**

January 13, warrant No. 117.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 162.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 397.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 550.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 680.....	25.00
February 17, warrant No. 831.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 992.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,047.....	32.16

60 days at \$25.00 per week..... **\$207.16**

**TOWNSEND, LUCILE, Stenographer.**

January 13, warrant No. 138.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 167.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 401.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 554.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 689.....	25.00
February 17, warrant No. 836.....	25.00
February 24, warrant No. 997.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,052.....	32.16

60 days at \$25.00 per week..... **\$207.16**



January 13, warrant No. 128.....	\$ 18.00
January 20, warrant No. 174.....	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 418.....	3.00
13 days at \$3.00 per day.....	<b>\$39.00</b>
<b>WALDRON, CHARLES B., Engrossing Clerk.</b>	
January 13, warrant No. 122.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 168.....	25.00
January 27, warrant No. 402.....	25.00
February 3, warrant No. 555.....	25.00
28 days at \$25.00 per week.....	<b>\$100.00</b>
<b>WATSON, FLORENCE, Enrolling Clerk.</b>	
March 5, warrant No. 1,094, 7 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$ 35.00
<b>WEAVER, PHILIP W., Page.</b>	
January 13, warrant No. 127.....	\$ 18.00
January 20, warrant No. 173.....	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 407.....	21.00
January 27, warrant No. 419.....	3.00
February 3, warrant No. 566.....	21.00
February 10, warrant No. 691.....	21.00
February 17, warrant No. 835.....	21.00
February 24, warrant No. 996.....	21.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,051.....	27.00
57 days at \$3.00 per day.....	<b>\$171.00</b>
<b>WILLIAMS, WILLIAM, Enrolling Clerk.</b>	
March 2, warrant No. 1,091, 7 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$ 35.00
<b>WILSON, HAYES, Cloakroom Custodian.</b>	
January 13, warrant No. 132.....	\$ 18.00
January 20, warrant No. 178.....	18.00
January 27, warrant No. 409.....	21.00
February 3, warrant No. 568.....	27.00
28 days at \$3.00 per day.....	<b>\$84.00</b>
<b>WILSON, W. J., Doorkeeper.</b>	
February 17, warrant No. 865.....	\$ 17.90
February 24, warrant No. 1,023.....	25.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,075.....	32.16
21 days at \$25.00 per week.....	<b>\$75.06</b>

<b>WINBURN, CHARLES, Janitor.</b>	
February 10, warrant No. 698.....	\$ 18.00
February 17, warrant No. 842.....	1.00
February 24, warrant No. 1,005.....	21.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,058.....	27.00
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29 days at \$3.00 per day.....	\$87.00
<b>WOOD, HENRY, Principal Engrossing Clerk.</b>	
January 20, warrant No. 215.....	\$ 45.00
January 27, warrant No. 390.....	35.00
February 3, warrant No. 533.....	35.00
February 10, warrant No. 674.....	35.00
February 17, warrant No. 838.....	35.00
February 24, warrant No. 999.....	35.00
February 26, warrant No. 1,054.....	45.00
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53 days at \$5.00 per day.....	\$265.00
<b>YOUNG, ALMA, Stenographer.</b>	
January 13, warrant No. 120.....	\$ 25.00
January 20, warrant No. 165.....	25.00
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14 days at \$25.00 per week.....	\$50.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>	
By resolution introduced and passed by the House, the following warrants were issued.	
<b>DON P. STRODE, Principal Clerk, for stamps.</b>	
January 16, warrant No. 143.....	\$ 25.00
January 18, warrant No. 272.....	25.00
January 26, warrant No. 425.....	25.00
February 2, warrant No. 560.....	25.00
February 10, warrant No. 696.....	25.00
February 15, warrant No. 878.....	25.00
February 22, warrant No. 1,036.....	25.00
February 27, warrant No. 1,088.....	25.00
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Total.....	\$200.00
<b>ROBERT BAILEY, Elevator Man.</b>	
March 5, warrant No. 1,093.....	\$50.00
<b>CARTERSBURG SPRING WATER.</b>	
March 6, warrant No. 1,092.....	\$81.05
<b>Typewriters, rent of.</b>	
March 2, warrant No. 22,372.....	\$35.50
March 2, warrant No. 22,373.....	16.40
March 2, warrant No. 22,374.....	28.00
March 2, warrant No. 22,375.....	3.00
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Total.....	\$82.90

# RECAPITULATION.

Total per diem and mileage of Representatives.....	\$40,546.80
Total per diem of employes.....	10,738.32
Miscellaneous bills paid.....	413.95
Total.....	<hr/> \$51,699.07

## EMPLOYES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

DON P. STRODE.....	Principal Clerk
J. MONROE FITCH.....	Assistant Clerk
ROBERT H. ACRE.....	Principal Doorkeeper
CALVIN FARIS.....	Minute Clerk
ASA J. SMITH.....	Reading Clerk
NELSON A. SAMPSON.....	File Clerk
CHARLES JONES.....	Registry Clerk
JOHN W. THIEL.....	Endorsing Clerk
CHARLES E. MCCLASKEY.....	Roll Clerk
GUY E. HOWREN.....	Calendar Clerk
HOMER L. MATTHEWS.....	Principal Enrolling Clerk
HENRY WOOD.....	Principal Engrossing Clerk
JESSE BIRCH AND LYNN SMITH.....	Postmasters

## ENGROSSING CLERKS.

JAMES BEBOUT.	WARD SKINNER.
FLOYD BLOUGH.	CHARLES B. WALDRON.
	A. D. SAYLOR.

## ENROLLING CLERKS.

C. D. BARNES.	A. C. KIMMEL.
FRED BROOKS.	CHARLES KING.
CHAS. V. EDWARDS.	E. B. MARSH.
EARL HATTEN.	JOS. McCUNE.
OMAR HEDGES.	J. IRL ROCKWELL.
JAY HUDSON.	FLORENCE WATSON.
ROY JAMES.	WILLIAM WILLIAMS.

## JANITORS.

FRANK BAKER.	WILLIAM CARR.
JAMES BAILEY.	WILLIAM JASPER.
ROBERT JOHNSON.	WALTER MARSHALL.
HENRY OWEN.	CHARLES WINBURN.

## CLOAKROOM CUSTODIANS.

JOHN H. BAKER.	HAYES WILSON.
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## DOORKEEPERS.

JOSEPH BEHMER.  
 OLIVER S. BLAKELEY.  
 ELMER COMER.  
 E. R. DOBBINS.  
 GEORGE GRIBBIN.  
 TAYLOR HAMILTON.  
 MANUEL KENNEDY.

ARTHUR LACOUNT.  
 H. H. LANCASTER.  
 FRANK E. MCKOWN.  
 E. V. NEWLIN.  
 WARREN PLOWMAN.  
 J. J. SHAW.  
 W. J. WILSON.

EDWARD KUHN.

## PAGES.

HAROLD ADAIR.  
 CROMER ALLDREDGE.  
 FRED DAVIS.  
 GEORGE DAY.  
 GEO. FROSS, JR.  
 HUGHES UPTGRAPH.

EDWARD HALL.  
 HENRY HEINY.  
 JAMES JAY.  
 MICHAEL JEFFERSON.  
 HOWARD KING.  
 PHILIP W. WEAVER.

## STENOGRAPHERS.

FERN ALE.  
 MARY ANDERSON.  
 MABEL BROOKS.  
 LUCY ELLIOTT.  
 RUTH GARMIRE.  
 ELLA M. GRONINGER.

VERN HARDWICK.  
 AMY McMILLAN.  
 RUTH J. McNUTT.  
 PEARL SAMSON.  
 GRACE THOMPSON.  
 LUCILE TOWNSEND.

ALMA YOUNG.



# House Calendar

OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE

*Speaker of the House*  
JESSE E. ESCHBACH.

*Principal Clerk*  
DON P. STRODE.

*Assistant Clerk*  
J. MONROE FITCH.

*Chief Doorkeeper*  
ROBERT H. ACRE.

*Reading Clerk*  
ASA J. SMITH.

*Minute Clerk*  
CALVIN FARIS.

*Roll Clerk*  
CHARLES E. McCLASKEY.

*Enrolling Clerk*  
HOMER L. MATTHEWS.

*File Clerk*  
NELSON A. SAMPSON.

*Registry Clerk*  
CHARLES JONES.

*Endorsing Clerk*  
JOHN W. THIEL.

*Calendar Clerk*  
GUY E. HOWREN.

*Engrossing Clerk*  
HENRY WOOD.

*Postmasters*  
JESSE BIRCH,  
LYNN SMITH.

*Elections*

Dynes, Moore, Wright of Clay, Mason, Williams, Harker, Southard, Hyland, Anderson, Bayer, Grube, Haslanger, Turner.

*Ways and Means*

McGonagle, Williams, Gentry, Blackmore, Sipe, Harker, Kimmel, Buller, Dilworth, McNagny, Durham, Cravens, Hartke.

*Judiciary A*

Miller of Howard, Davis of Jay, Harker, Houghton, Sipe, Yoder, Wood of Jasper, Kimmel, Jinnett, McNagny, Hartke, Downey, Bonham.

*Judiciary B*

Vesey, Woods of Marion, McClaskey, Read, Williams, Jameson, Sambor, Dilworth, Harris, Harmon, Hougham, Walker, Krieg.

*Organization of Courts*

Harris, Anderson, Williams, Miles, Sipe, Buller, Myers, Symons, Winesburg, Burt, Cook, Turner, Douglas.

*Banks*

Symons, Sipe, Swain, Eikenberry, Hoffman, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Bartel, Jameson, Durham, Cooper, Adams, Axby.

*Building and Loan Associations*

Allredge, Clapp, Dynes, Symons, Houghton, Miltenberger, Day, Kimmel, Gorski, Walker, Cronin, Hartke.

*Education*

Kessler, Harker, Wright of Randolph, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Houghton, Jinnett, Gentry, Harris, Davis of Jay, Burt, Ryan, Jacoby, Turner.

*Affairs of the Indiana Reformatory*

Gentry, Davis of Lake, Yoder, Southard, Williams, Kessler, Swain, Ryan, Westfall, Habermel, Burt.

*Affairs of the Indiana State Prison*

Southard, Overmyer, Yoder, Johnson of Grant, Jinnett, Reed, Gorski, Jacoby, Bayer, Robertson.

*Swamp Lands*

Overmyer, Baker, Winesburg, Miles, Wood of Jasper, McClaskey, Hoffman, Johnson of Pulaski and White, McNagny, Grube, Jacoby, Hepler.



Dilworth, Scott, Southard, Hyland, Johnson of Grant, Hoffman, Miles, Haslanger, Waltz, Walker.

*Claims*

Miles, Coggins, Overmyer, Jinnett, Duffey, Sipe, Wood of Jasper, Habermel, Tucker, Downey, Harmon.

*Trust Funds*

Duffey, Symons, Miltenberger, Myers, Scott, Southard, Wright of Clay, Yoder, Durham, Cooper, Curry.

*Fees and Salaries*

Jinnett, Sipe, Mendenhall, Westrick, Mosier, Miles, Miller of Tippecanoe and Warren, Johnson of Grant, Clapp, Hepler, Walker, Henke, Osborn.

*Sinking Fund*

Sipe, Houghton, Blackmore, Bartel, Coggins, Hoffman, Hessong, Lafuze, Hepler, Henke, Griffin, Grube.

*Rights and Privileges*

Harker, Dynes, Vesey, Buller, Lafuze, Blackmore, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Kimmel, Houghton, McNagny, Curry, Turner, Bayer.

*Railroads*

Davis of Lake, Behmer, Woods of Marion, Gentry, Yoder, Jinnett, Wright of Randolph, Symons, Williams, Cravens, Durham, Habermel, Haslanger.

*Manufacture and Commerce*

Davis of Jay, Swain, Montgomery, Yoder, Day, Geddes, Overmyer, Gentry, Walker, Haslanger, Hougham, Downey.

*County and Township Business*

Blackmore, Houghton, Mushett, Mason, Wright of Clay, Miles, Overmyer, Harris, Jinnett, Hepler, Bayer, Grube, Robertson.

*Agriculture*

Swain, Miles, Blackmore, Montgomery, Mendenhall, Overmyer, Hessong, Moore, Mason, Bonham, Douglas, Downey, Tucker.

*Benevolent and Scientific Institutions*

Jameson, Lafuze, Kessler, Behmer, Reed, Hessong, Eisterhold, O'Leary, Cronin, Henke.

*Public Morals*

Myers, Miles, Hyland, Gentry, Mason, Johnson of Grant, Miltenberger, Wright of Randolph, Winesburg, Hougham, Bonham, Jacoby, Krieg.

Waltz, Westfall, Osborn, Gentry, Geddes, Behmer, Reed, Alldredge, Moore.

#### *Corporations.*

Woods of Marion, Davis of Lake, Yoder, Davis of Jay, Williams, Kuhlman, Vesey, Dilworth, Sipe, Cook, Hartke, Henke, Krieg.

#### *Rivers and Waters*

Williams, Southard, Sambor, Kuhlman, Mosier, Baker, Cook, Osborn, Eisterhold.

#### *Public Expenditures*

Eikenberry, Day, Lafuze, Davis of Lake, Green, Winesburg, Cooper, Waltz, Robertson.

#### *Federal Relations*

Duffey, Jinnett, Johnson of Pulaski and White, Mendenhall, Harris, Behmer, Habermel, Henke, O'Leary.

#### *Affairs of the City of Indianapolis*

Montgomery, Duffey, Dynes, Kuhlman, Hyland, Woods, Geddes, Jameson, Scott, Sipe.

#### *Cities and Towns*

Anderson, Jameson, Houghton, Sambor, Bartel, Jinnett, Kuhlman, Vesey, Alldredge, O'Leary, Walker, Turner, Krieg.

#### *Engrossed Bills*

Wright of Randolph, Geddes, Swain, Harker, Anderson, Vesey, McNagny Walker, Krieg, Eisterhold.

#### *Roads*

Mendenhall, Duffey, Blackmore, Moore, Lafuze, Miller of Tippecanoe, Green, Overmyer, Mason, Douglas, O'Leary, Bayer, Hartke.

#### *Statistics and Immigration*

Day, Moore, Sipe, Baker, Winesburg, Westrick, Southard, Cook, Gorski, O'Leary, Eisterhold.

#### *Insurance*

McClaskey, Geddes, Jameson, Miltenberger, Anderson, Harris, Symons, Jinnett, Miles, Eisterhold, Habermel, Turner, Cronin.

#### *Printing*

Geddes, Buller, Dynes, Kessler, Kuhlman, Miltenberger, Swain, Cronin, Griffin, Tucker, Eisterhold.

Mason, Coggins, Hyland, Williams, Sambor, Johnson of Grant, Clapp, Houghton, Jinnett, Jacoby, Haslanger, Burt, Turner.

*Drains and Dykes*

Wood of Jasper, Dilworth, Buller, Miller, of Tippecanoe, Moore, Johnson, of Pulaski, Green, Baker, Winesburg, Harmon, Grube Bonham, Cooper.

*Mines and Mining*

Wright of Clay, Mushett, Hessong, Baker, Mendenhall, Mosier, Williams, Jameson, Harmon, Curry, Cook, Westfall, Cronin.

*Labor*

Behmer, Day, Swain, Jinnett, Moore, Mason, Southard, Dynes, Gorski, Axby, Waltz, Bonham.

*State Medicine.*

Reed, Geddes, Gentry, Jinnett, Kessler, Johnson of Pulaski, Hessong, Coggins, Grube, Henke, Adams, Cooper.

*Correction of Journal*

Mr. Speaker, McGonagle, Miller of Howard, McClaskey, Wright of Randolph.

*Natural Resources of State*

Coggins, Day, Hoffman, Williams, Kimmel, Lafuze, Mosier, Mushett, Wright of Clay, Westfall, Osborn, Turner, O'Leary.

*Phraseology of Bill's*

Yoder, McGonagle, Jameson, Vesey, Miller of Howard, Harker, Dilworth, Walker, Eisterhold, Downey, Cronin.

*Congressional Apportionment*

Buller, Kimmel, Harker, Swain, Montgomery, Jinnett, Mendenhall, Blackmore, Gentry, Hartke, McNagny Jacoby, Waltz.

*Legislative Apportionment*

Clapp, Williams, Houghton, Hyland, Alldredge, Myers, Day, Johnson of Grant, Yoder, Douglas, Cook, Axby, Hartke,

*Telephones and Telegraph*

Kuhlman, Sambor, Jinnett, Miller of Tippecanoe, Baker, Winesburg, Day, Clapp, Haslanger, McNagny, Habermel, Tucker.

*Soldiers' Monument*

Scott, Southard, Jinnett, Miles, Baker, Winesburg, Gentry, Swain, Walker, Cook, Krieg, Jacoby.

*State Soldiers' Home and State Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home*

Scott, Johnson of Grant, Hoffman, Miles, Southard, Dilworth, Kimmel, Symons, Douglas, Downey, McNagny, Tucker.

*Public Libraries*

Mason, Jinnett, Kessler, Kuhlman, Johnson of Grant, Harker, Davis of Jay, Hoffman, Cooper, Cravens, Jacoby, Downey, Henke.

*Criminal Code*

Hyland, Harker, McClaskey, McGonagle, Behmer, Dilworth, Houghton, Williams, Mushett, McNagny, Walker, Krieg, Eisterhold.

*Enrolled Bills*

Houghton, Miller of Howard, McClaskey, Jameson, Johnson of Grant, Eikenberry, Tucker Cook, Harmon.

*Public Buildings*

Miltengerger, Day, Bartel, Geddes, Wright of Clay, Clapp, Kimmel, Swain, Gentry, Cook, Eisterhold, Haslanger, Douglas.

## BILLS PRESENTED BY MEMBERS

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Adams—301, 429.  
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1	Jan. 9.	Anderson ....	POLICE PENSIONS, compulsory in cities of 3 and 4th class amends act of '05 ..	Indef. post. H
2	Jan. 9.	Anderson .....	JUDGES, circuit and superior courts, salary increase in counties having cities of 19,000. Amds act '13. .	Indef. post. H
3	Jan. 9.	Mason .....	THREE MILE ROAD LAW. Repeals act '03. ....	Indef. post. H
4	Jan. 9.	Cooper .....	SCHOOL WAGONS, to stop at railroad crossings .....	Law without Sig.
5	Jan. 9.	Cooper .....	COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' BOND, not less than 20% of money handled. Amds act '52. ....	Indef. post. H
6	Jan. 9.	Symons .....	CIRCUIT COURTS, HENRY CO., terms. ....	Signed by Gov.
7	Jan. 9.	Symons .....	VOLUNTARY ASS'N'S, forcing retirement of stockholders not paying assessments. ....	Indef. post. H
8	Jan. 9.	Cravens .....	TAXATION, reducing general tax levy and repealing sinking fund levy. Amds act '13. ....	Signed by Gov.
9	Jan. 9.	Cravens .....	VOCATIONAL EDUCATION — reducing levy. Amds act '13. ....	Signed by Gov.
10	Jan. 9.	Harris .....	SUPERIOR COURT, LAKE CO., ROOM 3, transferred to Gary. Amds act '11. .	Engrossed H
11	Jan. 9.	Southard .....	CHANGE OF VENUE, civil cases. Amds act '81. ....	Failed H
12	Jan. 9.	Houghton ....	TOWNSHIP TAX, on cities and towns within townships. Repeals act '15. ....	Indef. post. H
13	Jan. 9.	Mushett .....	SHOT FIRERS, mine operators to provide. ....	Failed. S.
14	Jan. 9.	Williams .....	LINCOLN HIGHWAY, establishing route and markers. ....	Indef. post. H
15	Jan. 9.	Williams .....	CIRCUIT COURTS, making Warlick Co. Ind. 2nd Jud. Cir. Spencer and Perry 69th	Vetoed

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16	Jan. 9.	Southard.....	FISH, Lake Michigan.....	Signed by Gov.
17	Jan. 9.	Bartel.....	HOTEL KEEPERS' LIEN, enforcement by garnishment. Amds act '97.....	Indef. post. H
18	Jan. 9.	Green.....	AUTOMOBILES, county registration, fees go to county	Rep. fav. H
19	Jan. 10.	Harker.....	STREET IMPROVEMENT non-abutting property owners to be notified of public hearings. Amds act '09...	Indef. post. H
20	Jan. 10.	Harker.....	CHILDREN, penalizing father failing to support....	Indef. post. H
21	Jan. 10.	Cooper.....	PUBLIC RECORDS, state and county, admitted as evidence in civil cases. Amds act '81.....	Engrossed S....
22	Jan. 10.	Habermel.....	STATE CAPITOL AT CORYDON, authorizing purchase.....	Ways & means H
23	Jan. 10.	Symons.....	COUNTY HOSPITALS, special election for, instead of petition. Amds act '13	Indef. post. H
24	Jan. 10.	Wood.....	LIQUOR ON TRAINS, prohibiting sale.....	Engrossed S
25	Jan. 10.	Day.....	SCHOOL FINANCE, temporary loans authorized...	Jud. B. H
26	Jan. 10.	Davis.....	APPEALS, supreme and appellate courts, procedure simplified.....	Indef. post. H
27	Jan. 10.	Southard.....	TROUT, hatcheries for.....	Signed by Gov.
28	Jan. 10.	Mosier.....	TOWNSHIP BOUNDARY LINES, changed only on petition of majority of voters.....	Vetoed.
29	Jan. 10.	Mosier.....	WORKMENS COMPENSATION, shortening waiting period and increasing compensation. Amds act '15..	Indef. post. H
30	Jan. 10.	Allredge.....	TEXTBOOK, no change with in ten years after adoption, except geography and civics.....	Indef. post. H

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31	Jan. 10.	F.E.Wright. . . .	STALLIONS, county enrollment. Repeals act '13. . . .	Indef. post. H
32	Jan. 10.	Westrick. . . . .	BLOODHOUNDS, evidence disclosed by, admitted. . . .	Indef. post. H
33	Jan. 10.	Williams. . . . .	VEAL CALVES, prohibiting butchering. . . . .	Indef. post. H
34	Jan. 10.	Bartel. . . . .	PUBLIC UTILITIES, municipalities to purchase by bond issue. . . . .	Indef. post. H
35	Jan. 10.	Turner. . . . .	SEEDS, Purdue experiment station to test. . . . .	Indef. post. H
36	Jan. 10.	Turner. . . . .	CHALLENGES OF JURORS, six instead of three in civil cases. Amds. act '81. . . .	Failed H
37	Jan. 11.	Walker. . . . .	CAPITAL PUNISHMENT, abolishing. . . . .	Indef. post. H
38	Jan. 11.	Vesey. . . . .	DISSOLUTION OF CORPORATIONS, number of stockholders necessary for, reduced. Amds act '13. . . .	Indef. post. H
39	Jan. 11.	Harker. . . . .	PARKS, cities of 5th class. . . .	Signed by Gov.
40	Jan. 11.	Hartke. . . . .	HIGHWAY BONDS, legalizing when issued in good faith. . . . .	Engrossed S
41	Jan. 11.	Hartke. . . . .	STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION. . . . .	Roads H
42	Jan. 11.	Coggins. . . . .	TOWNSHIP WARRANTS, legalizing, issued when appropriation exhausted. . . .	Indef. post. H
43	Jan. 11.	Myers. . . . .	STATE POLICE. . . . .	Ways & means H
44	Jan. 11.	Myers. . . . .	FARMERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE companies, extending scope of. Amds act '81. . . . .	Signed by Gov.
45	Jan. 11.	N.T.Miller. . . .	TAX EXEMPTION, household goods to the value of \$200. . . . .	Indef. post. H
46	Jan. 11.	N.T.Miller. . . .	TEXT BOOKS, free. . . . .	Engrossed H
47	Jan. 11.	Day. . . . .	FIREMEN'S PENSIONS, foreign fire insurance companies to be taxed for. . . .	Cities & towns H
48	Jan. 11.	Southard. . . . .	OLD PEOPLES HOMES, county and state to maintain jointly. . . . .	Indef. post. H

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49	Jan. 11.	Aldredge.....	PRIMARY ELECTION, to be held in September except in Indianapolis. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
50	Jan. 11.	Aldredge.....	R E M O N S T R A N C E AGAINST DRAIN, petition of a majority of property owners necessary. Amds act '07.....	Indef. post. H
51	Jan. 11.	Montgomery...	MORTGAGES, recording tax	Failed H
52	Jan. 11.	Johnson.....	HORSESHOEING, license..	Indef. post. H
53	Jan. 11.	Kimmel.....	PEEPING TOM, penalized.	Signed by Gov.
54	Jan. 11.	Williams.....	QUAIL, closed season for three (3) years.....	Failed S
55	Jan. 11.	Williams.....	CORONERS, to take place of county health officer....	Indef. post. H
56	Jan. 11.	McGonagle....	APPROPRIATION, for Gen. Assembly.....	Signed by Gov.
57	Jan. 12.	Harker.....	LINCOLN HIGHWAY, establishing route.....	Indef. post. H
58	Jan. 12.	Blackmore.....	OIL INSPECTION, state dep't abolished, duties transferred to chemist, St. Bd. of Health.....	Indef. post. S
59	Jan. 12.	McGonagle....	CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.....	Signed by Gov.
60	Jan. 12.	Myers.....	INHERITANCE TAX, exemptions increased. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
61	Jan. 12.	Krieg!	POOLROOMS, minors. Amds act '05.....	Failed S
62	Jan. 12.	C.A.Davis.....	INSURANCE REBATES, acceptance from agents. Repeals act '09, Sec. 2....	Indef. post. H.
63	Jan. 12.	Westfall.....	POULTRY DEALERS, license.....	Indef. post. H
64	Jan. 12.	E.C.Davis ....	IMPEACHMENT, public officials.....	Indef. post. S
65	Jan. 12.	Mosier.....	STATE FARM, merit system.....	Rep. fav. S
66	Jan. 12.	Aldredge.....	MARRIAGE LICENSE, female must reside in county two (2) months.....	Indef. post. H.

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67	Jan. 12.	Allredge.....	WOMAN SUFFRAGE, non-constitutional officers.....	Indef. post. H
68	Jan. 12.	Duffey.....	STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION.....	Rep. fav. am. H
69	Jan. 12.	Jameson .....	INSANITARY DWELLINGS, vacation on order of health officers.....	Law without Sig.
70	Jan. 12.	Dynes.....	MARKETS, Indianapolis...	Indef. post. H
71	Jan. 12.	Dynes.....	BAILIFFS, appointed by judges. Amds act '99...	Indef. post. H
72	Jan. 12.	Scott.....	AUTOMOBILES, parking in Monument Place, Indianapolis.....	Failed S
73	Jan. 12.	Green.....	GRAVEL ROADS, change in material after contract. Amends act '13.....	Refused by Gov.
74	Jan. 12.	Gentry.....	LEGALIZING, drain construction bonds.....	Indef. post. H
75	Jan. 12.	Gentry.....	TEXT BOOKS, free.....	Educ. H
76	Jan. 12.	Hessong. ....	JOINT SCHOOLS, town and township.....	Signed by Gov.
77	Jan. 12.	F.E. Wright ...	STATIONARY ENGINEERS, eight hours (8) per day. ....	Indef. post. H
78	Jan. 12.	F.E. Wright....	PROHIBITION, state wide	Signed by Gov.
79	Jan. 12.	Jinnett.....	QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL, salary reduced...	Signed by Gov.
80	Jan. 12.	Jinnett.....	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, counsel and clerk abolished. Amds act '15.....	Signed by Gov.
81	Jan. 12.	Williams.....	COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS, salaries to be fixed by county commissioners.....	Indef. post. H
82	Jan. 12.	Bartel.....	STATE BOARD OF HEALTH, expenses.....	Ways & means H
83	Jan. 15.	Walker.....	MILITARY TRAINING, in schools.....	Withdrawn
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85	Jan. 15.	Behmer . . . . .	FIREMEN'S PENSIONS, 4 and 5 class cities. Amds act '07 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
86	Jan. 15.	Harker . . . . .	ARCHITECTS, license . . . . .	Failed H
87	Jan. 15.	Anderson . . . . .	AUTOMOBILES, County to collect fees. Amds act '13 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
88	Jan. 15.	Harmon . . . . .	LEPROSY, powers of St. Bd. of Health . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
89	Jan. 15.	Symons . . . . .	AUTOMOBILES, headlights . . . . .	Law without Sig.
90	Jan. 15.	Wood . . . . .	CLERKS OF CIRCUIT COURT, date of taking of- fice, Jan. 1 . . . . .	Engrossed H . .
91	Jan. 15.	McClaskey . . . . .	CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES, extinct, title to property . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
92	Jan. 15.	E.C.Davis . . . . .	CRIMINAL COURT, Lake Co. Amds act '81 . . . . .	Failed S
93	Jan. 15.	E.C.Davis . . . . .	CAPITAL PUNISHMENT, abolishing. Amds act '05 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
94	Jan. 15.	Allredge . . . . .	SOLDIERS' BURIAL, allowance for, increased. Amds act '07 . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
95	Jan. 15.	Sipe . . . . .	MECHANICS' LIEN, assignment . . . . .	Engrossed H
96	Jan. 15.	Montgomery . . . . .	VEHICLES, stealing, a felony . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
97	Jan. 15.	Woods . . . . .	LOAN SHARKS, investigation and renewal charges. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Engrossed H
98	Jan. 15.	Henke . . . . .	VERDICTS, majority . . . . .	Indef. post. H
99	Jan. 15.	Durham . . . . .	DEPOSITORIES, private banks . . . . .	Engrossed S
100	Jan. 15.	Durham . . . . .	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, railway fiscal year. Amds act '13 . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
101	Jan. 15.	H.A.Miller . . . . .	SOLDIERS' HOME, admission. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
102	Jan. 15.	Williams . . . . .	REGISTRATION, poll tax receipts necessary and co. treas. and deputies to be county board . . . . .	Indef. post. H
103	Jan. 15.	Williams . . . . .	STATE HOUSE, clock for . . . . .	Indef. post. H
104	Jan. 15.	N.T.Miller . . . . .	PARKS, 3, 4 and 5 class cities . . . . .	Indef. post. H



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105	Jan. 15.	Mason . . . . .	STATE STATISTICIAN, abolishing . . . . .	Engrossed S
106	Jan. 16.	Mendenhall . . . .	CONSERVATION DEPT., consolidates existing bds. . . . .	Engrossed S
107	Jan. 16.	Symons . . . . .	YEAR BOOK, in place of state reports . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
108	Jan. 16.	Southard . . . . .	STATE SWAMP LANDS, sale for drainage . . . . .	Law without Sig.
109	Jan. 16.	Montgomery . . . .	INTERURBAN RAIL- ROADS, stops at stations near Indianapolis . . . . .	Indef. post. H
110	Jan. 16.	Hoffman . . . . .	RELIEF, Joseph Raible, civil war veteran . . . . .	Ways & Means H
111	Jan. 16.	Read . . . . .	WORKMEN'S compensation shortening waiting period. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
112	Jan. 16.	Read . . . . .	MEDICAL LAWS, codifying	State Med. H
113	Jan. 16.	Williams . . . . .	METRIC SYSTEM . . . . .	Indef. post. H
114	Jan. 16.	Williams . . . . .	REPRESENTATIVES, pay and mileage . . . . .	Indef. post. H
115	Jan. 16.	McNagny . . . . .	MEDICAL INSPECTION, in schools. Amds act '09.	Failed S
116	Jan. 16.	Mason . . . . .	THREE MILE ROADS, re- peal. Amds act '13 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
117	Jan. 16.	E.C.Davis . . . . .	GRADE CROSSINGS, sim- plifying separation proced- ure. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Rep. fav. S
118	Jan. 16.	Mosier . . . . .	FISH AND GAME, no license if owner consents. Amds act '13 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
119	Jan. 16.	Mosier . . . . .	FISH AND GAME, seines permitted land owners. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Indef. post.
120	Jan. 16.	Kessler . . . . .	ABSENT VOTERS . . . . .	Elec. S
121	Jan. 16.	Vesey . . . . .	ROAD MATERIAL, counties to condemn and sell . . . . .	Indef. post. H
122	Jan. 16.	Vesey . . . . .	LEGAL NOTICES, pub. in daily papers . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
123	Jan. 17.	Moore . . . . .	HOURS OF LABOR, women	Indef. post. H
124	Jan. 17.	Clapp . . . . .	BOARDS OF PUBLIC WORKS, condemnation powers, Fort Wayne . . . . .	Cities & towns S

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125	Jan. 17.	Houghton....	SCHOOLS, civi town to assume school town debts..	Signed by Gov.
126	Jan. 17.	Turner.....	FIRE INSURANCE, rates and discriminations.....	Indef. post. H
127	Jan. 17.	Harmon.....	CHANGE OF VENUE, new judge. Amds act '15....	Failed S
128	Jan. 17.	N.T.Miller....	DENTISTS, reg. irreg'lar practices. Amds act '13..	Signed by Gov.
129	Jan. 17.	Westfall.....	TOWNSHIPS ADVISORY BOARD, salaries reduced. Amds act '99.....	Indef. post. H
130	Jan. 17.	Aldredge.....	AUTOMOBILE LICENSE, penalizing use on other than car for which issued.....	Indef. post. H
131	Jan. 17.	Dynes.....	FISH, closed season.....	Indef. post. S
132	Jan. 17.	Jinnett.....	ROADS, appeal bond. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
133	Jan. 17.	Kimmel.....	WARRANTS, city courts. Amds act '05.....	Signed by Gov.
134	Jan. 17.	Kimmel.....	DECEDENTS ESTATES, settlement expedited. Amds acts '81 and '83....	Indef. post. H
135	Jan. 17.	Mnshett.....	WAGES, weekly payment..	Labor H
136	Jan. 17.	Southard.....	PENSIONS, guards in penal institutions.....	Indef. post. H
137	Jan. 17.	Durham.....	EXPRESS, deliveries outside corporate limits. Amds act '01.....	Indef. post. H
138	Jan. 18.	Walker.....	AUTOMOBILES, passing stopped street cars.....	Indef. post. not conc. H
139	Jan. 18.	Walker.....	OIL COMPANIES, discriminations, att-gen. to investigate.....	Indef. post. H
140	Jan. 18.	Moore.....	PRIMARIES, repeals act '13, prescribes who to be delegates to party conventions.	Indef. post. H
141	Jan. 18.	Moore.....	CANDIDATES, county officers, hand book.....	Indef. post. H
142	Jan. 18.	Eikenberry....	THEATRE, Sunday shows prohibited except for charity.....	Indef. post. H

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143	Jan. 18.	Grube . . . . .	SCHOOLS, transferred children, cost of tuition. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
144	Jan. 18.	Baker . . . . .	CROWS, bounty. Amds act '11 . . . . .	Failed H
145	Jan. 18.	Symons . . . . .	DEPOSITS IN TRUST, payments by banks . . . . .	Banks H
146	Jan. 18.	Symons . . . . .	BANKS, acts after Saturday noon, legal . . . . .	Engrossed S
147	Jan. 18.	Cravens . . . . .	LIBRARIES, county . . . . .	Law without Sig.
148	Jan. 18.	E.C.Davis . . . . .	DRAINAGE, delinquent tax. Amds act '09 . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
149	Jan. 18.	Sambor . . . . .	SLANDER, Amds act '05 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
150	Jan. 18.	Dilworth . . . . .	WORKMENS COMPENSATION, company physician and medical fees. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
151	Jan. 18.	Mosier . . . . .	TETANUS, anti-toxin . . . . .	Failed H
152	Jan. 18.	Mosier . . . . .	BLOODHOUNDS, evidence disclosed by . . . . .	Indef. post. H
153	Jan. 18.	Swain . . . . .	FORGED CHECKS, liability of banks . . . . .	Rep. fav. S
154	Jan. 18.	Alldredge . . . . .	CHIROPRACTICS, license . . . . .	Engrossed am. H
155	Jan. 18.	Dynes . . . . .	CLAIRVOYANTS, prohibited . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
156	Jan. 18.	Bayer . . . . .	HIGH SCHOOLS, state aid . . . . .	Indef. post. H
157	Jan. 18.	Bayer . . . . .	TRUANT OFFICERS, tp. trust. to be. Amds act '15 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
158	Jan. 18.	E.Johnson . . . . .	BANKS, officers not to act as notaries . . . . .	Failed H
159	Jan. 18.	E.Johnson . . . . .	BANKS, minors' deposits . . . . .	Failed H
160	Jan. 18.	F.E.Wright . . . . .	HAY PRESS, operators' license . . . . .	Indef post. H .
161	Jan. 18.	Jinnett . . . . .	RAILROADS, fares, roads less than 8 miles (Corydon). Amds act '13 . . . . .	Railroads H
162	Jan. 18.	Read . . . . .	HEALTH OFFICER, all-time, county and city . . . . .	Indef. post. H
163	Jan. 18.	Read . . . . .	POOL ROOMS, license . . . . .	Indef. post. H
164	Jan. 22.	Vesey . . . . .	MENNONITES, exempting from oath in applying for marriage license. Amds act '05 . . . . .	Signed by Gov.

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165	Jan. 22.	Eikenberry....	A D U L T E R Y, defining. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
166	Jan. 22.	Eikenberry....	MOTION PICTURES, state commission.....	Indef. post. H
167	Jan. 22.	Houghton.....	TOWNSHIP TAX, expense fund. Amds act '15.....	Engrossed S
168	Jan. 22.	Miltenberger...	WEIGHT, sales by.....	Signed by Gov.
169	Jan. 22.	Coggins.....	L E G A L I Z I N G, town- ship warrants, defective is- sue.....	Vetoed
170	Jan. 22.	Harmon.....	CHANGE OF VENUE, affi- davit to state certain facts	Indef. post. H
171	Jan. 22.	Cooper.....	BANK DEPOSITS, in two names.....	Refused by Gov.
172	Jan. 22.	Symons.....	BURGLARY, with explosives	Rep. fav. S
173	Jan. 22.	McClaskey....	COUNTY SUPERINTEN- DENTS OF SCHOOL, qualifications.....	Failed S
174	Jan. 22.	McClaskey....	T E A C H E R S, employ- ment and dismissal.....	Indef. post. H
175	Jan. 22.	Southard.....	TEACHERS PENSIONS, to cover teachers of 40 yrs. not now employed. Amds act '13.....	Refused by Gov.
176	Jan. 22.	Mosier.....	RAILROADS, tunnels, pro- tection of trainmen.....	Engrossed H
177	Jan. 22.	Mosier.....	PLUMBING, no private con- nection fixtures until pipes are extended.....	Indef. post. H
178	Jan. 22.	Alldredge.....	FARM LANDS, in towns, exempt from taxation...	Indef. post. H
179	Jan. 22.	Montgomery..	PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIP- TIONS, in English.....	Indef. post. H
180	Jan. 22.	Montgomery..	ROADS, state commission...	Roads H
181	Jan. 22.	Hyland.....	CIVIL SERVICE, commis- sion, Indianapolis.....	Failed S
182	Jan. 22.	Dynes.....	FLAGS, on school houses...	Failed H
183	Jan. 22.	Scott.....	S O L D I E R S, markers on graves.....	Signed by Gov.
184	Jan. 22.	Scott.....	G. A. R., app. for encamp- ment and dep't.....	Signed by Gov.
185	Jan. 22.	Green.....	DOGS, taxation. Amds act '97.....	Indef. post. H

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186	Jan. 22.	E. Johnson.....	BANKS, liability for non-payment of check.....	Failed H
187	Jan. 22.	Durham.....	STATE FARM, escaped prisoners.....	Ways & means H
188	Jan. 22.	Haslanger.....	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, appeals to, by railroads from town ordinances.....	Indef. post. H
189	Jan. 22.	Haslanger....	ORPHANS, compensation for care of. Amds act '15....	Refused by Gov.
190	Jan. 22.	Gorski.....	BANK DEPOSITS, investments. Amds act '03.....	Indef. post. H
191	Jan. 22.	Curry.....	SHOES, imitation leather...	Indef. post. H
192	Jan. 22.	O'Leary.....	SCHOOLS, consolidation, townships.....	Signed by Gov.
193	Jan. 22.	Dynes.....	MARKETS, state dep't. in bur. of statistics.....	Ways & means H
194	Jan. 23.	Walker.....	OIL COMPANIES, discrimination, att. gen. to investigate.....	Signed by Gov.
195	Jan. 23.	Turner.....	DISBARRED ATTORNEY resumption of practice after 10 years.....	Indef. post. H
196	Jan. 23.	Robertson....	TOWNS, OFFICERS, election and term. Amds act '11.....	Signed by Gov.
197	Jan. 23.	Cravens.....	INHERITANCE TAX, transfer of property. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
198	Jan. 23.	McClaskey...	SCHOOLS, length of term and deficient revenue....	Indef. post. H
199	Jan. 23.	Dilworth.....	NATIONAL GUARD, officers, qualification and term	Signed by Gov.
200	Jan. 23.	Swain.....	PARENTS, abandonment by children.....	Indef. post. H
201	Jan. 23.	Hyland.....	WEAPONS, permitted persons authorized to make arrests. Amds act '05....	Rep. fav. S
202	Jan. 23.	Gentry.....	LEGALIZING, drainage bonds.....	Law without Sig.
203	Jan. 23.	Gentry.....	CIRCUSES, ferries, peddlers, etc., licenses.....	Law without Sig

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204	Jan. 23.	Henke.....	PHARMACISTS, license, persons failing to apply and physicians. Amds act '13	Indef. post. H
205	Jan. 23.	Jinnett.....	GEN. HACKLEMAN, monument to.....	Ways & means
206	Jan. 23.	Haslanger.....	PLAYGROUND, commissions, cities of 2nd class.	Indef. post. H
207	Jan. 23.	Curry.....	SCHOO LS, consolidation, town and township.....	Law without Sig.
208	Jan. 23.	Montgomery...	DAIRIES, regulation, and standardization of milk....	Indef. post. H
209	Jan. 23.	Hoffman.....	COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS OF SCHOOLS, qualification. Amds act '11	Indef. post. H
210	Jan. 23.	McClaskey....	TEACHERS, qualification and pay.....	Indef. Post. H
211	Jan. 25.	Moore.....	WAGES, garnishment.....	Failed S
212	Jan. 25.	Vesey.....	PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS payments without bond issue.....	Indef. post. H
213	Jan. 25.	Moore.....	FLOOD CONTROL, Allen Co. Repeals act '15.....	Indef. post. S
214	Jan. 25.	McGonagle...	BENEVOLENT INSTITUTIONS, deportation of non-resident inmates.....	Signed by Gov.
215	Jan. 25.	McGonagle....	BENEVOLENT INSTITUTIONS, pay patients....	Signed by Gov.
216	Jan. 25.	Turner.....	RAILROADS AND INTER-URBANS, precautions at crossings. Amds act '05..	Signed by Gov.
217	Jan. 25.	Coggins.....	ILLEGITIMATE CHILDREN, court to give name of father to. Amds act '52	Indef. post. H
218	Jan. 25.	Mason.....	REGISTRATION.....	Signed by Gov.
219	Jan. 25.	Mason.....	LIBRARIANS, certification	Indef. post. H
220	Jan. 25.	C.A. Johnson..	PANAMA EXPOSITION, examination of accounts...	Indef. post. S
221	Jan. 25.	Baker.....	FUR BEARING ANIMALS, regulating hunting.....	Signed by Gov.
222	Jan. 25.	Cooper.....	FIRE DRILLS, in schools..	Signed by Gov.
223	Jan. 25.	Mendenhall....	AUTOMOBILES, concealing serial number.....	Engrossed, H.

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224	Jan. 25.	Symons.....	TRAIN DISPATCHERS, quarters.....	Indef. post. H
225	Jan. 25.	N.T.Miller....	ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY, commission....	S.am.not conc.H
226	Jan. 25.	Wood.....	RELIEF, C. T. Whaley, Newton Co.....	Law without Sig.
227	Jan. 25.	C.A.Davis.....	INDIANA UNIVERSITY, free scholarships from counties. Amds act '52.....	Rep. fav. S
228	Jan. 25.	Westfall.....	COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT, election instead of appointment. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
229	Jan. 25.	E.C.Davis.....	CORONERS, investigation when bodies have disappeared. Amds act '79.....	Engrossed S
230	Jan. 25.	E.C.Davis.....	CHANGE OF VENUE, upon written notice.....	Indef. post. H
231	Jan. 25.	Dilworth.....	DRAINAGE, remonstrance against laterals. Amds act '07.....	Signed by Gov.
232	Jan. 25.	Mosier.....	INJUNCTION, in labor cases Amds act '81.....	Indef. post. H
233	Jan. 25.	Mosier.....	DELIQUENT TAXES, fees for collection to go to county.....	Indef. post. H
234	Jan. 25.	Sipe.....	BLIND, free education in state educ. institutions...	Law without Sig.
235	Jan. 25.	Montgomery...	AGRICULTURE, state bureau.....	Refused by Gov.
236	Jan. 25.	Dynes.....	STREET IMPROVEMENTS, collections. Amds act '09.....	Signed by Gov.
237	Jan. 25.	Jacoby.....	CIRCUIT COURTS, Marshall and Fulton Cos....	Indef. post. H
238	Jan. 25.	Houghton....	PUBLIC UTILITIES, assessment.....	Indef. post. S
239	Jan. 25.	Miles.....	TEACHERS' INSTITUTES monthly at discretion of board and sup't.....	Signed by Gov.
240	Jan. 25.	Gentry.....	DONATIONS, to state insts. and to state, for parks ..	Signed by Gov.

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241	Jan. 25.	Gentry.....	BATTLE FLAGS, appr. for encasing.....	Indef. post. H
242	Jan. 25.	Bayer.....	BURIAL, persons dead of contagious diseases.....	Indef. post. H
243	Jan. 25.	Bayer.....	ROADS, townships, 75 days for work, 3 days for driver. Amds act '13.....	Rep. fav. S
244	Jan. 25.	F.E.Wright....	SCHOOLS, abandonment and purchase by township	Rep. without recS
245	Jan. 25.	Bartel.....	COMMISSION GOVERNMENT, for cities.....	Failed S
246	Jan. 25.	McNagny.....	DRAINAGE, remonstrance against laterals. Amds act '07.....	Drains H
247	Jan. 26.	Walker.....	CEMETERIES, associations	Indef. post. H
248	Jan. 26.	Vesey.....	TRADE MARKS. Amds act '91.....	Signed by Gov.
249	Jan. 26.	Vesey.....	PARKS, cities 1 and 2 class.	Indef. post. H
250	Jan. 26.	Behmer.....	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, divided into railroad com. and pub. ser. com. Amds act '13.....	Failed S
251	Jan. 26.	Milttenberger...	SCHOOL TRUSTEES, Non-partisan bds. of 4 members. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
252	Jan. 26.	Mason.....	JUDGES, circuit, 2nd or 3rd counties, trav. expenses...	Indef. post. H
253	Jan. 26.	Mendenhall....	LEGALIZING, repair of gravel roads.....	Law without Sig.
254	Jan. 26.	Mendenhall....	SPEED REGULATIONS, cities and towns.....	Failed H
255	Jan. 26.	C.A.Davis....	SCHOOLABANDONMENT Amds. act '09.....	Educ. S
256	Jan. 26.	McClaskey. .	AUTOMOBILES, county registration.....	Failed S
257	Jan. 26.	Southard.....	VOLUNTARY ASSOCIATIONS, public parks.....	Jud. B. S
258	Jan. 26.	Southard.....	PARKS, condemnation of land for by ass'ns, cities, eos. and tps.....	Jud. B. S
259	Jan. 26.	Swain.....	BANKS AND INSURANCE state dep't.....	Passed H



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260	Jan. 26.	Dynes.....	RAILROADS AND INTER- URBANS, free drinking cups.....	Failed H
261	Jan. 26.	Hyland.....	POIICE, pensions. Amds act '07.....	Signed by Gov.
262	Jan. 26.	Jacoby.....	ANONYMOUS COMMUNI- CATIONS, to influence elections.....	Indef. post. H
263	Jan. 26.	Kessler.....	O R P H A N S, transfer for school purposes. Amds act '03.....	Signed by Gov.
264	Jan. 26.	E. Johnson.....	WABASH AND ERIE CANAL, lands sold by, deeds.....	Indef. post. H
265	Jan. 26.	Durham.....	SCHOOL CONSOLIDA- TION, towns and 5th class cities and townships.....	Law without Sig.
266	Jan. 26.	F.E. Wright....	WEIGHMASTERS, st. com. of wts. and meas. to appt. on petition, cities, cos. etc.	Failed H
267	Jan. 26.	Kimmel.....	RECEIVERS, bond, Amds act '81.....	Refused by Gov.
268	Jan. 26.	H.A. Miller....	VICKSBURG MEMORIAL COMMISSION.....	Ways & means H
269	Jan. 26.	Read.....	TUBERCULOSIS, county hospitals. Amds act '13...	Law without Sig.
270	Jan. 26.	Read.....	T U B E R C U L O S I S, prevention and control....	Law without Sig.
271	Jan. 26.	Williams.....	RAILROADS, donations by counties forfeiture. Amds act '69.....	Engrossed am. H
272	Jan. 26.	Williams.....	ROADS, width, order of im- provement.....	Indef. post. H
273	Jan. 26.	N.T. Miller....	LOCOMOTIVE ENGI- NEERS, health and safety	Rep. without re- com. S
274	Jan. 26.	Harker.....	DRIFT IN STREAMS, as- sessments collected by suit. Amds act '03.....	Signed by Gov.
275	Jan. 26.	Harker.....	DRAINAGE, delinquent as- sessments on tax duplicate. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H

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276	Jan. 26.	Mosier.....	MARKETS, county seats...	Indef. post. H
277	Jan. 26.	Mosier.....	PHARMACISTS, liquor sales by. Amds act '07.....	Pub. mor. H
278	Jan. 27.	Frank Wright..	CHANGE OF VENUE, from mayors, 5th class cities....	Indef. post. H
279	Jan. 27.	Mason.....	DRAINAGE, tile drains, pub- lic records.....	Rep. fav. S
280	Jan. 27.	Harmon.....	DRAINAGE, collection of costs. Amds act '07.....	Indef. post. H
281	Jan. 27.	Myers.....	CEMETERIES, loans. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
282	Jan. 27.	Myers-Douglas	HOG CHOLERA, serum....	Law without Sig.
283	Jan. 27.	Symons.....	ROADS, free gravel, increase in expenditure for bridges. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
284	Jan. 27.	Symons.....	COUNTY BUILDINGS, \$300 without advertising. Amds act '07.....	Rep. fav. S
285	Jan. 27.	Day.....	FISHING AND HUNTING, lawful on Sunday.....	Indef. post. H
286	Jan. 27.	Day.....	BUILDING INSPECTION, state board.....	Indef. post. H
287	Jan. 27.	Southard .....	COUNTY AUDITORS, sal- aries, counties of 45,000 to 50,000.....	Indef. post. H
288	Jan. 27.	Mosier.....	COUNTY AGRICULTUR AL AGENT, permissive instead of compulsory. Amd. act '13.....	Indef. post. H
289	Jan. 27.	Dynes.....	REPRESENTATIVES, nom- inated by districts but el- ected by county, when county is divided.....	Rep. fav. am. H
290	Jan. 27.	Jameson.....	RAILROADS, trespass.....	Indef. post. H
291	Jan. 27.	Green.....	SNYDER, LUCINDA, Ful- ton Co., title to lands....	Signed by Gov.
292	Jan. 27.	Curry.....	CHURCH PROPERTY, ex- empt from taxation. Amds act '93.....	Indef. post. H
293	Jan. 27.	Read.....	COUNTY HOSPITALS, es- tablished by election or peti- tion of 500.....	Indef. post. H

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294	Jan. 27.	Read.....	RAILROADS AND INTER- URBANS, private crossings Amds act '03.....	Indef. post. H
295	Jan. 27.	O'Leary.....	ROAD BONDS, redemption	Jud. B. S
296	Jan. 27.	Bartel.....	WORKMEN'S COMPEN- SATION, police and fire- men. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
297	Jan. 27.	Bartel.....	POLICE AND FIREMEN, cities and towns to compen- sate for death or injury....	Rep. fav. S
298	Jan. 27.	Cravens. ....	FIRE MARSHAL. Amds act '13.....	Signed by Gov.
299	Jan. 30.	Vesey .....	PARKWAYS, 2d class cities, improvement. Amds act '15	Engrossed S
300	Jan. 30.	Vesey.. ....	STREETS, 2nd class cities, grading.....	Indef. post. H
301	Jan. 30.	Adams .....	PUBLIC LIBRARIES, cities and towns. Amds act '11	Law without Sig.
302	Jan. 30.	Burt.....	WALNUT RIDGE CEM- ETERY, Jeffersonville. Amds act '13.....	Refused by Gov.
303	Jan. 30.	Blackmore.....	AUTOMOBILE INSUR- ANCE, mutual cos. ....	Indef. post. H
304	Jan. 30.	Blackmore.....	RAILROADS AND INTER- URBANS, real estate, leas- ed under direction of pub. service comm.....	Engrossed H
305	Jan. 30.	Yoder.....	DRINKING CUPS, indivi- dual for communion ser- vice.....	Indef. post. H
306	Jan. 30.	Harmon.....	LEGALIZING, 3 mile gravel road bonds.....	Indef. post. H
307	Jan. 30.	C.A. Johnson...	MOTION PICTURES, state commission.....	Indef. post. H
308	Jan. 30.	Symons.....	COUNTY SURVEYORS, and engineers.....	Refused by Gov.
309	Jan. 30.	Cravens.....	PIONEER MOTHERS, appr. for monument to.....	Ways & means H
310	Jan. 30.	Westfall.....	WEIGHTS AND MEAS- URES, standard. Amds act '97.....	Law without Sig.
311	Jan. 30.	Swain.....	TEACHER'S INSTITUTES, county, conducted by Ind. Univ. Ex. Div.....	Indef. post. H

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312	Jan. 30.	Montgomery...	PUBLIC SANITATION DEP'T., Indianapolis.....	Signed by Gov.
313	Jan. 30.	Dynes.....	CATS, license.....	Engrossed S
314	Jan. 30.	Hyland.....	JUDGES, prob., juv., crim., and sup. in certain cos., election in 1922.....	Indef. post. H
315	Jan. 30.	Green.....	OPEN DRAINS, repair.....	Signed by Gov.
316	Jan. 30.	Green.....	TILE DRAINS, repair.....	Drains H
317	Jan. 30.	Miles.....	BASEBALL, forbidden on Sunday.....	Indef. post. H
318	Jan. 30.	Durham.....	STATE FARM, prisoners to work on roads. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
319	Jan. 30.	Read.....	WEEDS, cutting, along rail- roads and interurbans...	Indef. post. H
320	Jan. 30.	Winesburg...	PUBLIC UTILITIES, date of fiscal year and reports to pub. ser. com. Amds act '13.....	Law without Sig.
321	Jan. 30.	Bartel.....	PARKS, pavilions for chau- tauquas. Amds act '05...	Indef. post. H
322	Jan. 30.	Clapp.....	WEAPONS, purchase only on permit, carrying and dis- play prohibited.....	Indef. post. H
323	Jan. 30.	Mosier.....	SCHOOL TERMS, extension towns.....	Indef. post. H
324	Jan. 30.	Mosier.....	HOURS OF LABOR, 8 hour day.....	Indef. post H
325	Jan. 30.	Harker.....	STATE CHARTER BOARD application. Amds act '15	Indef. post. H
326	Jan. 31.	Vesey.....	VEHICLES, lights.....	Indef. post. H
327	Jan. 31.	Vesey.....	NORMAL SCHOOLS, 1 and 2 class cities to maintain..	Indef. post. H
328	Jan. 31.	Houghton....	ROADS, tax levy, for repair Amds act '13.....	Signed by Gov.
329	Jan. 31.	McGonagle....	PRISONS, escape from, a felony. Amds act '05....	Rep. fav. S
330	Jan. 31.	Westfall.....	BAILIFFS, pay. Amds act 1899.....	Indef. post. H
331	Jan. 31.	McClaskey....	HISTORICAL COMMIS- SION, making permanent. Amds act '15.....	Refused by Gov.

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332	Jan. 31.	McClaskey....	ADVERTISING, regulating.	Signed by Gov.
333	Jan. 31.	Montgomery...	SCHOOLS, BUSINESS DIRECTOR, cities over 100,000, salary. Amds act '99.....	Indef. post. H
334	Jan. 31.	Dynes.....	TOWNSHIP ASSESSORS, changing date of election and term.....	Indef. post. H
335	Jan. 31.	Dynes.....	TOWNSHIP ASSESSORS, pay.....	Fees & Sal. H
336	Jan. 31.	Sipe.....	COLLEGE FRATERNI- TIES, exemption of prop- erty from taxation.....	Failed H
337	Jan. 31.	Miles.....	FARM MUTUAL INSUR- ANCE.....	Indef. post. H
338	Jan. 31.	Bayer.....	CIGARETTES, sale and mfg. prohibited.....	Indef. post. H
339	Jan. 31.	Gorski.....	POLICE AND FIREMEN, free transportation on street railways. Amds act '13...	Signed by Gov.
340	Jan. 31.	Haslanger.....	TELEPHONES, exchange service with competing lines	Indef. post. H
341	Jan. 31.	H.A.Miller....	PRIMARY ELECTIONS..	Indef. post. H
342	Jan. 31.	Kimmel.....	CITY COURTS, jurisdiction. Amds act '05.....	Rep. fav. S
343	Jan. 31.	McNagny.....	VOCATIONAL EDUCA- TION, directors of, in cities and towns. Amds act '13	Indef. post. H
344	Jan. 31.	McNagny.....	ELECTRICITY, high volt- age, installation of wires..	Indef. post. H
345	Feb. 1.	McGonagle....	TRANSFER OF STOCK, corporations, uniform law.	Corp. S
346	Feb. 1.	Coggins.....	COUNTY AGRICULTUR- AL AGENT, permissive in- stead of compulsory. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
347	Feb. 1.	C.A.Johnson...	SHERIFFS FEES, for board- ing prisoners raised to sixty cents. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
348	Feb. 1.	Robertson.....	FIREWORKS, prohibited...	Indef. post. H
349	Feb. 1.	Robertson.....	FIRES, criminal and negli- gent property owners to be liable for.....	Indef. post. H

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350	Feb. 1.	C.A.Davis.....	SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX, townships, towns and cities raised to 75 cents. Amds act '05.....	Failed H
351	Feb. 1.	McClaskey....	RELIEF, Sylvester Francis, twp. trustee, funds lost in bank failure.....	Signed by Gov.
352	Feb. 1.	Dilworth.....	STATE PRISON, fund from sale of farm products. Amds act '99.....	Signed by Gov.
353	Feb. 1.	Dilworth.....	PRISON LABOR, state account.....	Signed by Gov.
354	Feb. 1.	Mosier.....	OFFICERS, per diem pay for 8 hours work.....	Rep. fav. S
355	Feb. 1.	Mosier.....	NOTARIES PUBLIC, fees increased. Amds act '75	Indef. post. H
356	Feb. 1.	Alldredge.....	STOCKS AND BONDS, registration.....	Indef. post. H
357	Feb. 1.	Swain.....	PUBLIC UTILITY CORPORATIONS, employees, hours of service.....	Indef. post. H
358	Feb. 1.	Montgomery...	CORN, contests and exhibits	Failed H
359	Feb. 1.	Montgomery...	CORPORATIONS, for profit, organizations and control	Indef. post. H
360	Feb. 1.	Sipe.....	CHANGE OF VENUE, criminal cases.....	Indef. post. H
361	Feb. 1.	Sipe.....	MARION CO., deputy co. assessor, \$5 per day instead of \$3. Amds act '11.....	Fees & sal. H
362	Feb. 1.	Jameson.....	BUILDING, state commission to draft code.....	Indef. post. H
363	Feb. 1.	Dynes.....	PIONEER MOTHERS, and war women, app'r. for monument to.....	Ways & means H
364	Feb. 1.	Woods.....	ARSON, 2nd degree.....	Signed by Gov.
365	Feb. 1.	Jacoby.....	TITLE DEEDS, of 20 years no action against.....	Indef. post. H
366	Feb. 1.	Green.....	SURETY BONDS, of 10 years cancellation.....	Law without Sig.
367	Feb. 1.	Gentry.....	DISTRICT JUDGE, to take place of justice of peace.	Indef. post. H
368	Feb. 1.	Wood.....	PUBLIC DRAINS, repair and maintenance.....	Engrossed S

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269	Feb. 1.	Durham.....	STATE FARM, to pay expenses of capturing escaped prisoners.....	Refused by Gov.
370	Feb. 1.	Durham.....	STATE FARM, reimbursing Putnam Co. for expenses of capturing escaped prisoners.....	
371	Feb. 1.	Jinnett.....	PUBLIC UTILITIES, municipally owned, not under Pub. ser. comm. Amds act '15. ....	Refused by Gov.
372	Feb. 1.	McClaskey....	DIVORCE CASES, courts to appt. trustees for children	Indef. post. H
373	Feb. 1.	Bartel.. ....	TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS, living 2 miles from school and regulating drivers	Jud. B. S
374	Feb. 1.	Bartel... ....	TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES and assessors, date of election amds act '11.....	Indef. post. H
375	Feb. 1.	Woods.....	APPEALS, to supreme and appellate courts, procedure	Indef. post. H
376	Feb. 1.	Vesey.....	POLICE PENSION. Amds act '05.....	Law without Sig.
377	Feb. 1.	Hoffman.....	TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES AND ASSESSORS, date of election. Amds act '11...	Indef. post. H
378	Feb. 1.	Gentry.....	ROADS, publication of expenditures in papers. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
379	Feb. 2.	Bonham.....	DAMS, removal when cause of floods.....	Indef. post. H
380	Feb. 2.	Symons.....	JOINT HIGH SCHOOLS control. Amds act '15. ...	Indef. post. H
381	Feb. 2.	Mosier.....	HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, orchard of, to go to Purdue University.....	Signed by Gov.
382	Feb. 2.	Sipe.....	PARK BOARDS, 1st class cities, powers and duties	Signed by Gov.
383	Feb. 2.	Allredge.....	DRAINAGE, by petition of 20% of owners, no reimbursement. Amds act '07...	Engrossed S
384	Feb. 2.	Dynes.....	TOWNSHIP ASSESSORS, deputies, pay per diem....	Indef. post. H

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385	Feb. 2.	Myers.....	INFLAMMABLE RUB- BISH, state fire mar- shal to issue rules for ...	Indef. post. H
386	Feb. 2.	Houghton.....	FIRE HOUSE COUPLINGS standard.....	Indef. post H
387	Feb. 2.	Henke.....	FREE GRAVEL ROADS, tax on city and town prop- erty a separate fund. Amds acts '13.....	Indef. post. H
388	Feb. 2.	Henke.....	TOWNSHIP TAX LEVY, not to include cities and towns. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
389	Feb. 2.	Durham.....	ACCOUNTS, reports of exam. by st. bd. to be pub. doc. Repeals sec. 2 to 12, act '11.....	Rep. to post. not conc. H
390	Feb. 2.	Jinnett.....	BANKS, false statements con- cerning.....	Jud. B. S
391	Feb. 2.	E. Johnson.....	FORESTRY, private reserves up to \$500 or 1-2 value, ex- empt from taxation.....	Indef. post. H
392	Feb. 3.	McGonagle....	INSANE, voluntary pay pa- tients in state hospitals....	Engrossed S
393	Feb. 3.	Miltenberger...	SCHOOL BONDS, cities and towns. Amds act '13.....	Law without Sig.
394	Feb. 3.	Anderson.....	CITY PLANNING, boards, cities.....	Cities & towns H
395	Feb. 3.	Woods.....	WILLS, who may make. Amds act '52.....	Indef. post. H
396	Feb. 3.	Sipe.....	DIRECTORS, of corpora- tions, elections.....	Indef. post. H
397	Feb. 3.	Sipe.....	TOWNSHIP ASSESSORS, 1st and 2nd class cities, pay. Amds act '09.....	Recom. Fees & Sal. H
398	Feb. 3.	Jameson.....	INSURANCE AGENTS, to be residents of state.....	Ins. H
399	Feb. 3.	Gentry.....	CITIES AND TOWNS, ex- penditures, publication in newspapers.....	Indef. post. H
400	Feb. 3.	Gentry.....	LEGAL NOTICES, publica- tion in newspapers, by town treas. Amds act '13	Indef. post. H



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401	Feb. 3.	Miles.....	TEACHERS' PENSIONS, exam. and lic. fees to go to state fund. Amds act '15.	Indef. post. H
402	Feb. 3.	Miles.....	SCHOOL SUPTS, cities and towns, qualifications.....	Engrossed am. H
403	Feb. 3.	Osborn.....	PAUPERS, burial, county to contract for. Amds act '03	Indef. post. H
404	Feb. 3.	Osborn.....	RAILROADS AND INTER-URBANS, right of way clear of trees and bushes..	Indef. post. H
405	Feb. 3.	Hepler.....	BRUMMITT, WM., deed to lands, St. Jo. Co.....	Indef. post. H
406	Feb. 3.	Mason.....	ROADS, county road bldg. unit, supplants 3 mile law.	Enact. cl. struck out H
407	Feb. 5.	Burt and McClaskey..	TEXT BOOKS, vocational education. Amds act '09..	Signed by Gov.
408	Feb. 5.	Miltnerberger...	STATE LIBRARY COMMISSION, to control state library and pub. lib. com..	Lib. S
409	Feb. 5.	Habermel.....	FISHING, with seines. Amds act '07.....	Lib. S
410	Feb. 5.	Habermel.....	TAXATION, notice of increase, by posted notice only. Amds act '15.....	Failed H
411	Feb. 5.	N.T.Miller....	CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT, HOWARD CO., deputy at \$1,200. Amds act '95.....	Law without Sig.
412	Feb. 5.	N.T.Miller....	HOSPITALS, cities, towns or twp. to levy tax for....	Engrossed H
413	Feb. 5.	Day.....	WOMEN, hours of labor....	Rights & priv. H
414	Feb. 5.	Day and Green	MARKETS, cities and towns	Indef. post. H
415	Feb. 5.	E.C.Davis.....	COUNTY OFFICERS, date of payment of salaries....	Fees & sal. H
416	Feb. 5.	Samboer.....	SCHOOLS, attendance officers, pay. Amds act '13..	Indef. post. H
417	Feb. 5.	Mosier.....	TEACHER'S PENSIONS, transfer from one unit to another. Amds act '15...	Indef. post. H
418	Feb. 5.	Kuhlman.....	FEEES, col. by state officers, to be paid into state treasury.....	Failed S

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419	Feb. 5.	Kessler.....	JOINT HIGH SCHOOLS, in townships containing 200 children of school age. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
420	Feb. 5.	Gentry.....	CIRCUIT COURTS, 10th, 15th and 40th districts....	Indef. post. H
421	Feb. 5.	Gentry.....	RAILROAD POLICE.....	Indef. post. H
422	Feb. 5.	Miles.....	SCHOOL FUNDS, investigation of apportionment and distribution.....	Indef. post. H
423	Feb. 5.	Miles.....	KINDERGARTENS, cities, towns and townships may maintain.....	Indef. post. H
424	Feb. 5.	Jinnett.....	COUNTY FAIRS, date of payment of county appropriations. Amds act '05...	Indef. post. H
425	Feb. 5.	Vesey.....	CONDEMNATION, for city crossings, buildings on railroad right of way. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
426	Feb. 5.	Vesey.....	SAND OR GRAVEL, removal from Lake Michigan	Passed H
427	Feb. 5.	Harker.....	C O N T I N U A T I O N SCHOOLS, compulsory for children of 14 to 16.....	Educ. S
428	Feb. 6.	Clapp.....	WEAPONS, purchase by permit, display prohibited....	Indef. post. H
429	Feb. 6.	Adams.....	FAIRS, CHAUTAUQUAS, etc., entrance by fraud and injury to property.....	Indef. post. H
430	Feb. 6.	Eikenberry....	PRIVATE BANKS, state supervision. Repeals sec. 7-8 act '07.....	Indef. post. H
431	Feb. 6.	Harker.....	HEALTH INSURANCE, contracts, cancellation....	Indef. post. H
432	Feb. 6.	Anderson.....	STREET LAMPS, cities, towns and abutting cos....	Signed by Gov
433	Feb. 6.	C.A.Johnson...	HOG CHOLERA, serum, sale of. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
434	Feb. 6.	Myers.....	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, territory outside of municipalities included. Amds act '13....	Failed S

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435	Feb. 6.	Myers.....	COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AGENT, on petition of 20 residents of each township. Amds act '13...	Indef. post. H
436	Feb. 6.	C.A.Davis.....	DENTISTS, exemption from exam. by St. Bd. Amds act '13.....	Rep. fav. am. H
437	Feb. 6.	Mosier.....	COUNTY ASSESSORS, time employed and per diem....	Failed H
438	Feb. 6.	Sipe.....	ASSIGNMENT OF ERRORS, supreme and appellate courts.....	Indef. post. H
439	Feb. 6.	Sipe.....	DEMURRERS, motion and exceptions.....	Indef. post. H
440	Feb. 6.	Miles.....	TEACHERS, elementary schools, qualifications and wages.....	Failed H
441	Feb. 6.	Miles.....	TEACHERS, high schools, ½ to be college or normal graduates.....	Indef. post. H
442	Feb. 6.	Wood.....	DREDGE DITCHES. Amds act '15.....	Drains H
443	Feb. 6.	Douglas.....	BOARD OF CONTROL, state charitable and reform institutions.....	Indef. post. H
444	Feb. 6.	Haslanger.....	FISH AND HUNT, state wide license issued by county clerk. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
445	Feb. 6.	Curry.....	CORN, county to appr. up to \$200 to co. corn growers ass'n.....	Law without Sig.
446	Feb. 6.	Kimmel.....	BAILIFFS, crim. cir. and sup. courts, at \$750.....	Indef. post. H
447	Feb. 6.	Waltz.....	EXCESS BAGGAGE, charge charges. Amds act '07....	Recom. Railroads H
448	Feb. 6.	Cronin.....	MOTION PICTURES, state regulation.....	Indef. post. H
449	Feb. 6.	Vesey.....	POLICE, judgments against, 2 class cities to pay.....	Refused by Gov.
450	Feb. 6.	Vesey.....	NORMAL SCHOOLS, 1 and 2 class cities to establish..	Indef. post. H

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451	Feb. 6.	Buller.....	AUTOMOBILES, record of owner's title to.....	Indef. post. H
452	Feb. 6.	Kessler.....	PHARMACISTS, qualifications for registration.....	Indef. post. H
453	Feb. 7.	C.A.Johnson...	PROSTITUTE, definition includes solicitation, penalty for 2nd offense. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
454	Feb. 7.	Cravens.....	SCHOOL TAX, cities, towns and townships, increased to sixty cents. Amds act '03.....	S. am. not conc.H
455	Feb. 7.	E.C.Davis.....	PUBLIC DRINKING CUPS	Engrossed H
456	Feb. 7.	Samboer.....	CITY JUDGE, to hold court twice daily, 1, 2, 3, and 4 class cities. Amds act '09	Indef. post. H
457	Feb. 7.	Day.....	COMFORT STATIONS, swimming pools and drinking fountains.....	Cities & towns H
458	Feb. 7.	Alldredge.....	PENAL FARM, convicts to manufacture metropolitan block. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
459	Feb. 7.	Hyland.....	WOMAN, insults in public places.....	Indef. post. H
460	Feb. 7.	Douglas.....	INHERITANCE TAX, exemptions, widows. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
461	Feb. 7.	Kimmel.....	CITY ATTORNEYS, fees for prosecuting violations of city ordinances.....	Fees & sal. S
462	Feb. 7.	Eisterhold.....	INSURANCE, state dept...	Indef. post. H
463	Feb. 7.	Cook.....	SUPERIOR COURT, additional, in Vigo Co.....	Vetoed
464	Feb. 7.	Hepler.....	C O U N T Y A G R I - CULTURAL AGENT, counties of 84,000. Amds act '13.....	Engrossed S
465	Feb. 8.	Walker.....	SQUIRRELS, closed season.	Signed by Gov.
466	Feb. 8.	Houghton.....	FRANCHISE TAX.....	Failed S
467	Feb. 8.	Yoder.....	DAIRY PRODUCTS, regulation.....	Indef. post. H
468	Feb. 8.	Habermel.....	WEEDS, cutting along fences	Engrossed H

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469	Feb. 8.	Aldredge.....	STATE LANDS, survey by auditor of state.....	Indef. post. H
470	Feb. 8.	Sipe.....	BONDSMEN, professional, prohibiting.....	Indef. post. H
471	Feb. 8.	Sipe.....	CITY JUDGE, powers as to witnesses and contempt. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
472	Feb. 8.	Kuhlman.....	PROBATION OFFICER, city court, Indianapolis..	Aff. Indpls. S
473	Feb. 8.	Kuhlman.....	CITY JAILOR, Indianapolis	Rep. fav. S
474	Feb. 8.	Woods.....	JURIES, city court Indianapolis.....	Rep. fav. H
475	Feb. 8.	Miles.....	DECEDENTS' ESTATES, settlement.....	Indef. post. H
476	Feb. 8.	Griffin.....	TITLE TO REAL ESTATE, payment of taxes for 20 yrs. to constitute.....	Indef. post. H
477	Feb. 8.	Kimmel.....	STATE PARKS, county appropriations for.....	Indef. post. H
478	Feb. 8.	Read.....	PARKS, city or town, township donation for.....	Indef. post. H
479	Feb. 8.	O'Leary.....	WATER SUPPLY, pollution from sewage.....	Indef. post. H
480	Feb. 8.	Cooper.....	MORTGAGES, recorded within 10 days of execution. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
481	Feb. 9.	Blackmore.....	ATTORNEY - GENERAL, appointed by governor instead of elected.....	Passed H
482	Feb. 9.	McGonagle....	STEAM BOILERS, st. bd. of boiler rules.....	Indef. post. H
483	Feb. 9.	Hartke.....	FISHING, with seines. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
484	Feb. 9.	Harmon.....	TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE, not hold office more than 8 out of 12 years.....	Law without Sig.
485	Feb. 9.	Buller.....	COUNTY AUDITORS, liability for warrants. Repeals act '11.....	Failed H
486	Feb. 9.	Habermel.....	AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE, co-operative ass'ns	Indef. post. H
487	Feb. 9.	Habermel.....	LIABILITY INSURANCE, reserve fund.....	Withdrawn

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488	Feb. 9.	N.T.Miller.....	FOREST FIRES.....	Indef. post. H
489	Feb. 9.	Wood.....	RURAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASS'NS, amount of stock in cities and towns of less than 25,000. Amds act '13.....	Engrossed S
490	Feb. 9.	Wood.....	COMMISSIONERS to sell property, exemption from taxation.....	Indef. post. H
491	Feb. 9.	C.A.Davis.....	PUBLIC UTILITIES, add. duties of pub. service com. in regard to.....	Indef. post. H
492	Feb. 9.	C.A.Davis.....	ROADS, county commission- ers to control, abolishes co. road sup't.....	Engrossed am. H
493	Feb. 9.	Cravens.....	VOCATIONAL EDUCA- TION, st. dep. sup't of, agents and assistants, app. by st. sup't of pub. instr. Amds act '13.....	Withdrawn
494	Feb. 9.	Day.....	CITY COURTS, 2, 3 and 4 class jurisdiction.....	Signed by Gov.
495	Feb. 9.	Day.....	JUSTICES OF PEACE, and constables, number and pay.....	Engrossed S
496	Feb. 9.	Dilworth.....	SAVINGS BANKS, reserves, deposits outside of state only in nat. banks. Amds act '03.....	Signed by Gov.
497	Feb. 9.	Sipe.....	INSURANCE PREMIUMS, taxation.....	Indef. post. H
498	Feb. 9.	Green.....	ROAD BONDS, limiting issue of.....	Indef. post. H
499	Feb. 9.	Kessler.....	ROAD TAX, \$50 instead of \$20 may be worked out. Amds act '13.....	Roads H
500	Feb. 9.	Gentry.....	TEACHERS, high schools, qualifications and wages..	Indef. post. H
501	Feb. 9.	Kimmel.....	LIQUOR LICENSES, grant and renewal up to April 2, 1918.....	Signed by Gov.

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502	Feb. 9.	Eisterhold.....	PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT CLERK, 2 class cities.....	Indef. post. H
503	Feb. 9.	Cook.....	MOTHERS' pensions.....	Engrossed am. H
504	Feb. 9.	Winesburg.....	OAKLAWN CEMETERY, North Manchester, legaliz- ing incorporation.....	Indef. post. H
505	Feb. 9.	Miltenerberger...	STREET IMPROVE- MENTS. Amds act '09...	Indef. post. H
506	Feb. 12	Moore.....	LAKES, lowering or reduc- tion of water supply.....	Indef. post. H
507	Feb. 12	Clapp.....	FIREARMS, regulating sale and display.....	Rep. without re- com. S
508	Feb. 12	McGonagle....	JURORS, grand and petit, selection and qualification	Jud. A. H
509	Feb. 12	Yoder.....	TEACHERS, minimum wages. Amds act '13....	Educ .H
510	Feb. 12	Yoder.....	TEACHERS, pay on legal holidays.....	Failed H
511	Feb. 12	Coggins.....	ROADS, co. com'rs and twp. trustees to control, abol- ishes co. road supt.....	Indef. post. H
512	Feb. 12	Harmon.....	WITNESSES, attendance in other counties than resi- dence.....	Jud. B. S
513	Feb. 12	Harmon.....	CHANGE OF VENUE, to other county. Amds act '81.....	Indef. post. H
514	Feb. 12	Cooper.....	ROADS, heavy hauling. Amds act '07.....	Rep. fav. S
515	Feb. 12	Cooper.....	WEEDS, along partition fences.....	Indef. post. H
516	Feb. 12	Mendenhall....	TEXTBOOKS, adoption and sale, optional for high schools.....	Signed by Gov.
517	Feb. 12	Mendenhall....	SIDEWALKS, towns. Amds act '13.....	Engrossed H
518	Feb. 12	C.A.Davis.....	FISHING, from shelter on ice, unlawful.....	Engrossed H
519	Feb. 12	C.A.Davis.....	PHARMACISTS, assistants, license. Amds act '11....	Indef. post. H

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520	Feb. 12	Westfall.....	ROADS, inter-county.....	Refused by Gov.
521	Feb. 12	Day.....	CROPS, purchased from field harvesting compulsory....	Indef. post. H
522	Feb. 12	Sambor.....	STREET RAILWAYS, fenders.....	Railroads H
523	Feb. 12	Day.....	BUILDING INSPECTION, 2 add. inspectors for public buildings. Supp. to act '99	Passed H
524	Feb. 12	Sambor.....	BARBERS, state license bd.	Indef. post. H
525	Feb. 12	Mosier.....	ROADS, co. com'rs to control abolishes co. road supt....	Indef. post. H
526	Feb. 12	Woods.....	NEW TRIALS, motions for, Amds act '81.....	Indef. post. H
527	Feb. 12	Scott.....	MORTGAGED R E A L ESTATE, taxation.....	Indef. post. H
528	Feb. 12	Scott.....	POLL TAX.....	Indef. post. H
529	Feb. 12	Jameson.....	S T R E E T I M P R O V E - MENTS, Indianapolis.....	Failed S
530	Feb. 12	Green.....	RAILROAD, blocking traffic at street crossings. Amds acts '05 and '81.....	Indef. post. H
531	Feb. 12	Kessler.....	TAXATION.....	Indef. post. H
532	Feb. 12	Hoffman.....	BENDER, J. A., granting release of mortgage of 1838	Signed by Gov.
533	Feb. 12	Osborn.....	NATIONAL GUARD, pay while in U. S. service.....	Ways & means H
534	Feb. 12	Westrick.....	COUNTY SCHOOL SUPTS. election by twp. trustees and pres. of school bds. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
535	Feb. 12	Jinnet.....	SCHOOL ATTENDANCE OFFICERS, traveling expenses. Amds act '13....	Indef. post. H
536	Feb. 12	H.A. Miller....	WEEDS, along roads.....	Indef. post. H
537	Feb. 12	Cronin.....	COUNTY COM'RS., increasing pay in counties of 80,000 to 150,000. Amds act '11.....	Indef. post. H
538	Feb. 13	Houghton.....	EXPRESS, delivery, within cities and towns of 2,000 or more. Amds act '01.....	Indef. post. H
539	Feb. 13	N.T. Miller....	ATHLETIC COMMISSION state.....	Failed H



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540	Feb. 13	McClaskey . . . .	LEGAL NOTICES, co. and twp. daily or weekly paper	Indef. post. H
541	Feb. 13	E.C.Davis. . . . .	SEWERS, adjoining municipalities . . . . .	Engrossed H
542	Feb. 13	Day . . . . .	LAUNDRIES, license . . . . .	Indef. post. H
543	Feb. 13	Southard . . . . .	COUNTY AUDITOR, Laporte co., salary. Amds act '95 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
544	Feb. 13	Mosier . . . . .	STATE LOAN FUNDS, commission to investigate	Recom. Ways & means H
545	Feb. 13	Scott . . . . .	TAXATION, reassessment and reappraisement of all property in state . . . . .	Indef. post. H
546	Feb. 13	Sipe . . . . .	PRISON LABOR, contracts for, only with public officers	Indef. post. H
547	Feb. 13	Sipe . . . . .	GUARDIAN, to mortgage ward's real estate . . . . .	Signed by Gov.
548	Feb. 13	Hyland . . . . .	TREASURERS, co., town and school cities, bond . . . . .	Indef. post. H
549	Feb. 13	Dynes . . . . .	PUBLIC UTILITIES, extensions for new territory. Amds act '13 . . . . .	Engrossed S
550	Feb. 13	Hyland . . . . .	PREMIUMS, and gift with merchandise, license . . . . .	Indef. post. H
551	Feb. 13	Jameson . . . . .	COAL, freight charges based on weight of carload shipment . . . . .	Failed H
552	Feb. 13	Jameson . . . . .	GRAND JURY, clerk, counties of 250,000. Amds act '05 . . . . .	Rep. fav. S
553	Feb. 13	Houghton . . . . .	FOREST FIRES, state parks and forest reservations . . . . .	Indef. post. H
554	Feb. 13	Woods . . . . .	HEALTH BOARD, Indpl's., salary increased to \$1,200 a year. Amds act '13 . . . . .	Indef. post. H
555	Feb. 13	Woods . . . . .	WITNESSES, officers of corp. or ass'n. Amds act '81 . . . . .	Engrossed H
556	Feb. 13	Green . . . . .	LEGAL NOTICES, co. and township, publication . . . . .	Indef. post. H
557	Feb. 13	Green . . . . .	POOR RELIEF, by overseer, limit raised from \$15 to \$25. Amds act '01 . . . . .	Rights & priv. S

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558	Feb. 13	Gentry.....	HIGH SCHOOLS, transportation for pupils 4 miles from school.....	Indef. post. H
559	Feb. 13	Gentry.....	INSURANCE, deposit of securities. Amds act '09..	Rep. fav. S
560	Feb. 13	Miles.....	DECEDENT'S estate, sale of real property by executor	Indef. post. H
561	Feb. 13	Haslanger.....	COMFORT STATIONS and swimming pools, park bds. to maintain, cities of 45,000 to 58,000.....	Law without Sig.
562	Feb. 13	Kimmel.....	REGISTRATION, date of changing county precincts. Amds act '15.....	Engrossed S
563	Feb. 13	Waltz.....	POLL TAX. Amds act '91.	Failed H
564	Feb. 13	Turner.....	OFFENSIVE NOISE, or conduct, penalizing. Amds. act '05.....	Indef. post. H
565	Feb. 14	Eikenberry....	TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES, salary increase. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
566	Feb. 14	Habermel.....	INSURANCE AGENTS, license from state auditor, prohibiting rebates.....	Withdrawn
567	Feb. 14	Symons.....	TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOLS, on petition of 30, regardless of high school within 3 mi. Amds act '13.....	Law without Sig.
568	Feb. 14	Krieg.....	DEEDS, congressional school lands, legalizing, use as evidence.....	Jud. B. S
569	Feb. 14	Sipe.....	MATTRESSES, shoddy material prohibited. Amds act '13.....	Law without Sig.
570	Feb. 14	Sipe.....	CORPORATIONS, capital stock, increase or decrease	Indef. post. H
571	Feb. 14	Woods.....	PROBATE COURT, Marion Co. no jurisdiction in divorce cases. Amds act '07	Law without Sig.
572	Feb. 14	Dynes.....	TOWNSHIP ASSESSOR, Center twp, Marion Co. per diem of deputies. Amds act '11.....	Signed by Gov.

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573	Feb. 14	Dynes.....	PRINTING, state institutions permitted to do, in inst. plant. Amds act '15	Print S
574	Feb. 14	Green.....	I N H E R I T A N C E TAX. Repeals act '15....	Indef. post. H
575	Feb. 14	Green.....	TOWNSHIPS, classification for grading salaries, etc....	Indef. post. H
576	Feb. 14	Gentry.....	LANDS, sold by state and Wabash and Erie canal, deeds for.....	Rep. fav. S
577	Feb. 14	Gentry.....	LANDS, mortgaged to state, release.....	Rep. fav. S
578	Feb. 14	Westrick.....	TEACHERS' PENSIONS, state, after 45 years service	Indef. post. H
579	Feb. 14	Westrick.....	TEACHERS' PENSIONS, fees from exam. to be paid to state fund. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
580	Feb. 14	Gorski.....	INSECT PESTS, control of by state entomologist....	Indef. post. H
581	Feb. 14	Gorski.....	GAS, rates, 2 class cities....	Indef. post. H
582	Feb. 14	Myers.....	HOSPITALS, county.....	Law without Sig.
583	Feb. 14	Montgomery...	FACTORIES, first-aid rooms or kit, where dangerous machinery.....	Indef. post. H
584	Feb. 14	Coggins.....	MUSSELS, closed season, April 1 to June 15.....	Indef. post. H
585	Feb. 14	Coggins.....	CHANNEL CATFISH, less than 12-in. to be returned to water. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
586	Feb. 14	Read.....	CEMETERIES, consolidation of incorporated and unincorporated.....	Failed H
587	Feb. 14	Osborn.....	PRINTING, state institutions permitted to do, in inst. plant. Amds act '15	Indef. post. H
588	Feb. 15	Walker.....	HEALTH OFFICERS, all-time, and state districts..	Indef. post. H
589	Feb. 15	Eikenberry....	BANKS, reserves 12½% of deposits.....	Signed by Gov.
590	Feb. 15	Grube.....	STATE HEALTH BOARD, appeals from decisions....	Refused by Gov.

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591	Feb. 15	McGonagle....	STATE HEALTH BOARD, relief to members for per diem and expenses.....	Refused by Gov.
592	Feb. 15	McGonagle....	POOR ASYLUMS, counties of over 30,000.....	Indef. post. H
593	Feb. 15	Habermel.....	BANKS, interest on deposits	Indef. post. H
594	Feb. 15	Habermel.....	TRADING STAMPS, regulating and license.....	Indef. post. H
595	Feb. 15	Cravens.....	VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, state deputy supt. in charge of, app. by st. bd. of educ. Amds act '13...	Indef. post. H
596	Feb. 15	E.C.Davis....	TELEPHONES, sanitary mouth pieces, pay stations	Engrossed H
597	Feb. 15	Dynes.....	DEPENDENT CHILDREN registration on commitment to asylum or home.....	Indef. post. H
598	Feb. 15	Jameson.....	RECEIVERS, corporations under supervision of state auditor.....	Indef. post. H
599	Feb. 15	Jacoby.....	SCHOOL TERM, increasing to 7 months. Amds act '99	Passed H
600	Feb. 15	Green.....	LINCOLN ROUTE, commission to investigate and determine.....	Indef. post. H
601	Feb. 15	Green.....	DRAINAGE, attorneys fees. Amds act '07.....	Indef. post. H
602	Feb. 15	Hessong.....	STREAM POLLUTION, damages.....	Indef. post. H
603	Feb. 15	Hoffman.....	CEMETERIES, funds for care of individual lots Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
604	Feb. 15	F. E. Wright..	HOURS OF LABOR, 8 hrs. for employees working 7 days a week.....	Indef. post. H
605	Feb. 15	F.E.Wright....	COUNTY SURVEYOR, to be co. drainage com'r. Amds act '11.....	Indef. post. H
606	Feb. 15	Hepler.....	HOUSES FOR RENT OR SALE, employment offices to list. Amds act '11. ...	Indef. post. H

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607	Feb. 15	Kimmel.....	COUNTY HEALTH COMMISSIONERS, compensation.....	State med. H
608	Feb. 15	McNagny.....	STATE NORMAL SCHOOL trustees. Amds act '65..	Engrossed S
609	Feb. 15	Harmon.....	PARK LANDS, 5 class cities, sale.....	Law without Sig.
610	Feb. 15	Mason.....	SHERIFFS, pay for services outside county.....	Rep. fav. S
611	Feb. 17	F.E.Wright....	SCHOOL DEBTS, civil city may pay.....	Engrossed am. H
612	Feb. 17	Hartke.....	COURT REPORTERS RECORDS admission as evidence.....	Indef. Post. H
613	Feb. 17	Harris.....	TAX RECORDS, prepared annually by co aud. Amds act '13.....	Engrossed H
614	Feb. 17	Samboer.....	HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS. Amds act '05..	Law without Sig.
615	Feb. 17	Westfall.....	BAILIFFS, app. by circuit judge, \$3 per diem.....	Failed H
616	Feb. 17	Dilworth.....	CONVEYANCES, lands sold for non-payment of special tax assessment.....	Engrossed H
617	Feb. 17	Dilworth.....	NATIONAL GUARD, organization and control.....	Mil. Affrs. S
618	Feb. 17	Allredge.....	PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS, disclosure of grand jury evidence.....	Indef. post. H
619	Feb. 17	Allredge.....	BANK OFFICERS, overdraft by and loans to. Amds act '05.....	Indef. post. H
620	Feb. 17	Duffey.....	GOVERNOR'S MANSION, gift of Kahn property for Indianapolis park board..	Indef. post. H
621	Feb. 17	Sipe.....	LIVESTOCK INSURANCE organization.....	Indef. post. H
622	Feb. 17	Sipe.....	PUBLIC BONDS, financial statement to purchasers..	Indef. post. H
623	Feb. 17	Woods.....	CHATTEL MORTGAGES, registration.....	Rep. without recom. S

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624	Feb. 17	Woods.....	PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS, office expenses and investigation by.....	Indef. post. H
625	Feb. 17	Dynes.....	FLOOD PREVENTION, 1 class cities.....	Indef. post. H
626	Feb. 17	Dynes.....	VENEREAL DISEASES, registration.....	Indef. post. H
627	Feb. 17	Montgomery...	PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, description of materials.....	Rep. fav. am. S
628	Feb. 17	Montgomery...	COURT HOUSE, Marion Co., sale by co. com'rs. Amds act '13.....	Failed H
629	Feb. 17	Gentry.....	MEDICAL SCHOOL, appropriation for new building	Refused by Gov.
630	Feb. 17	Bonham.....	DRAINAGE, maintenance of small ditches.....	Drains H
631	Feb. 17	McNagney.....	TEACHER'S PENSIONS, after 20 years service. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
632	Feb. 17	McNagney.....	TITLE TO LANDS, possessed for 20 years prior to 1881	Jud. B. S
633	Feb. 17	Harmon.....	DRIFT IN STREAMS, over 75 feet wide, cleaning.....	Indef. post. H
634	Feb. 17	Blackmore.....	MINES, safety lamps.....	Indef. post. H
635	Feb. 17	Harker.....	HOSPITALS, 5 class cities, jointly with churches, lodges, etc.....	Signed by Gov.
636	Feb. 17	Downey.....	ATTORNEYS' LIENS.....	Indef. post. H
637	Feb. 17	Kimmel.....	OUT DOOR RELIEF and child welfare commission to investigate.....	Rights & priv. H
638	Feb. 17	Kimmel.....	INDEBTEDNESS, municipal and school corporations, public record of.....	Passed H
639	Feb. 17	Swain.....	TEACHERS' PENSIONS, trustees of state fund. Amds act '15.....	Educ. S
640	Feb. 17	Swain.....	REQUISITIONS, fugitive criminals. Amds act '09..	Crim. code. S
641	Feb. 19	Cravens.....	SERVICE OF PROCESS, suits to quiet title to real estate.....	Indef. post. H

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No.	Date			
642	Feb. 19	Habermel.....	CIRCUIT COURT 3d district term.....	Rep. fav. S
643	Feb. 19	Kimmel.....	DIVORCE CASES, no trial until 60 days after filing. Amds act '83.....	
644	Feb. 19	Bartel.....	TEACHERS INSTITUTES, optional in 1 class cities. Amds act '15.....	Rep. without recom.
645	Feb. 19	Green.....	LEGAL NOTICES, publication in weekly paper.....	Indef. Post. H
646	Feb. 19	Harris.....	LEGALIZING, road bonds issued under act '05.....	Indef. post. H
647	Feb. 19	Harris.....	TOWNSHIP high schools, abandonment.....	Failed H
648	Feb. 20	Kessler.....	FLOOD PREVENTION, 5 class cities. Repeals act '15.....	Refused by Gov.
649	Feb. 20	Hyland.....	SCHOOLS, officers, election Indianapolis. Amds act '11	Indef. post. H
650	Feb. 20	Allredge.....	FISH, breeding grounds for, in streams.....	Recom. Affrs. Indianapolis S
651	Feb. 20	Tucker.....	LEGALIZING, tax collections in cities owning public utilities.....	Rivers S
652	Feb. 20	Tucker.....	DECEDENTS' ESTATES, executors authorized to borrow money and execute mortgages.....	Cities & towns H
653	Feb. 20	Behmer.....	SOLDIERS' HOME, admission of soldiers discharged from service on U. S. call..	Indef. post. H
654	Feb. 20	Jameson.....	COURTS, county and municipal, counties of 20,000...	Indef. post. H
655	Feb. 20	Jameson.....	MARRIAGE, persons advertising to perform ceremony	Org. of courts
656	Feb. 20	Jinnett.....	COUNTY ASSESSORS, need not be freeholder. Amds act '15.....	Engrossed H
657	Feb. 20	Green.....	ANNEXATION, cities and towns remonstrance by $\frac{3}{4}$ owners. Amds act '05....	Indef. post. H
658	Feb. 20	Cooper.....	CULVERTS, installation....	Cities & towns H
				Indef. post. H

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No.	Date			
659	Feb. 20	Cooper.....	TOWNSHIP ADVISORY BOARD, app. by circuit judge instead of elected. Amds act '99.....	Indef. post. H
660	Feb. 20	Gorski.....	DIVORCE, no remarriage within 2 years. Amds act '73.....	Indef. post. H
661	Feb. 20	Gorski.....	SCHOOLS, foreign languages Amds act '73.....	Indef. post. H
662	Feb. 20	Habermel.....	COURT HOUSES, sale.....	Signed by Gov.
663	Feb. 20	Harker.....	SCHOOL BUILDINGS, material, sale and use in new buildings.....	Mfrs. H
664	Feb. 21	Wood.....	DRAINAGE, commission to codify laws.....	Passed. H
665	Feb. 21	Jinnett.....	ROAD BONDS, exemption from taxation. Repeals act '11.....	Indef. post. H
666	Feb. 21	Baker.....	RAILROADS, right of way, fences. Amds act '85....	Railroads H
667	Feb. 21	Clapp.....	OFFICERS, county and township, salary.....	Co.&twp.bus.H
668	Feb. 21	Allredge.....	C O M M I S S I O N GOV'T., counties.....	Co.&twp.bus.H
669	Feb. 21	Douglas.....	HOSPITALS, county and city, advisory committees	Indef. post. H
670	Feb. 22	Baker.....	FISH SEINES, license to use, Amds act '05.....	Passed H
671	Feb. 22	Sipe.....	INSANITY INQUESTS....	Indef. post. H
672	Feb. 22	Woods.....	CIVIL PROCEDURE, appeal during term. Amds act '81.....	Jud. B. H
673	Feb. 22	Woods.....	PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS, office expenses and investigations.....	Indef. post. H
674	Feb. 22	McNagay.....	MILITARY INSTRUCTION, high schools.....	Signed by Gov.
675	Feb. 22	Axby.....	TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS, civil township to erect in certain cases.....	Engrossed H
676	Feb. 23	Day.....	STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS, state examiner and deputies, term. Amds act '15.....	Jud. B. H



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No.	Date			
677	Feb. 23	Harris.....	LIQUOR, manufacturers to sell to non-prohibition states.....	Jud. A. H
678	Feb. 23	F.E.Wright....	EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, conveyance of title to real estate to similar institutions.....	Finance S
679	Feb. 23	Mushett.....	LEGAL HOLIDAYS changes name of Discovery Day to Columbus Day. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
680	Feb. 23	Mosier.....	TOWNSHIP LINES, abolishing, procedure.....	Engrossed H
681	Feb. 23	Swain.....	MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANIES, list of policyholders filed with state auditor.....	Indef. post. H
682	Feb. 24	McGonagle....	GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.....	Signed by Gov.
683	Feb. 24	McGonagle....	STATE INSTITUTIONAL TAX, reduced from 7 to 4 cents. Amds act '13.....	Ways & means H
684	Feb. 24	Houghton.....	STATE INSTITUTIONS, transfer of inmates.....	Signed by Gov.
685	Feb. 24	Green.....	TOWNSHIP OFFICERS, salaries, standardization.....	Signed by Gov.
686	Feb. 24	Kuhlman.....	TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE, clerk, salary, Indianapolis.....	Passed H
687	Feb. 26	Gentry.....	HIGH PRICES, commission to investigate.....	Ways & means H
688	Feb. 26	Miltenberger...	PUBLIC UTILITIES, mergers. Amds act '13.....	Engrossed H
689	Feb. 27	E.C.Davis.....	FOOD STUFFS, governor to condemn, to relieve shortage.....	Engrossed H
690	Feb. 27	Mosier.....	COAL AND FOOD STUFFS cities and towns to purchase in emergency.....	Indef. post. H
691	Feb. 27	McGonagle....	SPECIFIC APPROPRIATION.....	Signed by Gov.
692	Feb. 27	Turner.....	VOLUNTARY INSURANCE ASS'NS.....	Rep. fav. am. H
693	Feb. 28	Dynes.....	PRIMARY ELECTIONS, candidates' petition, date of filing.....	Engrossed H

## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION		Introduced by	Subject	Final Disposition
No.	Date			
1	Jan. 10.	Bartel.....	SUFFRAGE QUALIFICATION, tax receipt necessary and three years' residence for foreign born. Const. amdt.....	Jud. A. H
2	Jan. 26.	Behmer.....	WOMAN SUFFRAGE, const. amdt.....	Jud. A.H
3	Jan. 26.	Jinnett.....	SOLDIERS, exempt from taxation, const. amdt.....	Jud. A. H
4	Jan. 30.	Dynes.....	WIDOWS, exempt from taxation, const. amdt.....	Jud. A. H
5	Feb. 8.	Robertson....	DECLINING LANDS, for agr. exp. sta from W. H. Bower	
6	Feb. 12	Dynes and N.T.Miller...	WIDOWS, property exempt from taxation up to \$200. Const. amdt.....	Indef. post. H
7	Mch. 5.	Cravens.....	INDIANA SOLDIERS, Co. G, 1st. Reg. commending for capture of German Spy	Signed by Gov.

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

1	Feb. 20	McNagy.....	INDIANA HISTORICAL COMMISSION, resolution of thanks to.....	Passed H
2	Feb. 27	Dilworth.....	U. S. AERONAUT STATION, at Fort Benjamin Harrison.....	Signed by Gov.
3	Feb. 27	Swain.....	U. S. NITRATE PLANT, urging location at Mussell Shoals, Tenn.....	Signed by Gov.

## SENATE BILLS IN HOUSE

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Bill No.	Introduced by	Subject and Effect of Proposed Legislation	Final Disposition
1	Armstrong.....	OAKLAND CITY COLLEGE, legalizing incorporation and proceedings..	Signed by Gov.
2	English.....	ABSENT VOTERS.....	Signed by Gov.
4	Hemphill.....	LOAN AND TRUST COMPANIES, holders of five shares may be directors. Amds act '07.....	Signed by Gov.
5	Jackson.....	ROADS, county seats to railroad stations.....	Law without Sig.
6	Kinder.....	PRIMARY ELECTIONS, to be held in Sept. except in Indianapolis. Amds act '13.....	Engrossed H
7	Kinder.....	SUPERIOR COURT, Lake Co., room (3) transferred to Gary. Amds act '11.....	Signed by Gov.
8	Lanz.....	GUIDE POSTS, erected at cross roads out of automobile fund.....	Law without Sig.
10	Simmons.....	COURT PROCEDURE, simplifying pleadings.....	Signed by Gov.
11	Simmons.....	WILLS, contestant permitted to be beneficiary.....	Signed by Gov.
12	Thornton.....	STATE CAPITOL AT CORYDON, providing for purchase.....	Signed by Gov.
15	Hagerty.....	STREET IMPROVEMENTS, more than one foundation material may be specified. Amds acts '05 and '09	Law without Sig.
17	Kinder.....	SCHOOL FINANCE, temporary loans authorized.....	Signed by Gov.
18	Kinder.....	WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION, waiting period shortened. Amds act '15.....	Signed by Gov.
20	McCray.....	MECHANIC'S LIENS, providing for release.....	Vetoed
21	Mercer.....	FREIGHT DEPOTS, not to be located near church or school.....	Indef. post. H
23	Negley.....	HUCKSTERS, forbidding license of..	Engrossed am.H
24	Reser.....	VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, abolishing advisory boards. Amds act '13.....	Ord. Enrolled
25	Simmons.....	SCHOOL FINANCE, legalizing bond levies for schools not constructed	Law without Sig.
26	Thornton.....	STATE BOARDS, chairman of political parties prohibited from practicing before.....	Failed H

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Bill No.	Introduced by	Subject and Effect of Proposed Legislation	Final Disposition
29	English.....	MONUMENT PLACE, INDIA-NAPOLIS, changing to Monument Circle.....	Signed by Gov.
30	English.....	PETIT JURORS, over 60 years old, excused. Amds act '81.....	Law without Sig.
34	Laney.....	CLERKS OF CIRCUIT COURTS, date of taking office, Jan. 1.....	Org. of CourtsH
36	Metzger.....	RELIEF, H. E. Martin.....	Law without Sig.
39	Thornton.....	COUNTY ATTORNEY, not to practice before county commissioners...	Signed by Gov.
42	Dobyns.....	STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION	Signed by Gov.
44	English.....	FORESTRY, state board., amds act '03.....	Indef. post. H
49	Negley.....	COLLISIONS, between persons and vehicles, suits brought in co. or twp.	Engrossed H
51	Nedjl.....	FIREMENS' PENSIONS, tax on foreign insurance cos. for.....	Engrossed H
52	Smith.....	TOWNSHIP ADVISORY BOARDS, vacancies filled by Co. comrs.....	Law without Sig.
53	Green.....	FERRETS, repeals act '13.....	Indef. post. H
56	Laney.....	CHANGE OF VENUE, when jury disagrees.....	Engrossed H
57	Lanz.....	TOWNSHIPS, ANNEXATION, indebtedness.....	Signed by Gov.
64	Negley.....	RECEIVERS, under supervision of auditor of state, to be app. on application of att. gen.....	Engrossed H
65	Reidelbach....	MORTGAGES, cancelled after 20 yrs.	Signed by Gov.
71	Green.....	INSANITY INQUESTS, physician's mileage.....	Failed H
75	Lanz.....	BANKS AND TRUST COMPANIES, to consolidate.....	Engrossed H
77	Maston.....	WOMAN SUFFRAGE, non-constitutional officers.....	Signed by Gov.
79	Negley.....	CHARITABLE ASS'NS, bd. of health to be clearing house for, Indpl's....	Engrossed am. H
82	Reidelbach....	AUDITORIUMS, county.....	Engrossed H
84	VanAuken....	DIVORCE CASES, limited separation	Jud. B. H
85	VanAuken....	PENAL FARM, or co. jail, discretionary with judges in 6 mo. cases, amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
88	Bird.....	WORKHOUSES, clothing of prisoners paid by co.....	H.am.conc. S

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Bill No.	Introduced by	Subject and Effect of Proposed Legislation	Final Disposition
90	Hirsch.....	PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, installment payments.....	Signed by Gov.
91	Hudgins.....	CLERK AND TREASURER, combined offices, cities of 4 and 5 class	Signed by Gov.
94	Laney.....	SCHOOL LANDS, sale of.....	Law without sig.
98	Simmons.....	AUTOMOBILES, passing cars.....	Signed by Gov.
101	Hirsch.....	RAILROADS, fares roads less than 8 miles (Corydon). Amds act '13....	Signed by Gov.
104	Van Auken....	LEGALIZING, bonds for road machinery issued under unconst. Act '13	Law without Sig.
105	Negley.....	STATE HOUSE, employees, half holiday.....	Refused by Gov.
106	English.....	CEMETERIES, co. officers to handle funds. Amds act '15.....	Law without Sig.
107	Van Auken....	DECEDENTS ESTATES, insane persons.....	Refused by Gov.
108	McCray.....	G. A. R. app. for encampment and Indiana dep't .....	Ways & Means
110	Metzger.....	LEGALIZING, road construction by county commissioners. Amds act '05.....	Failed H
112	Retherford....	WAGES, bimonthly payment. Amds act '13.....	Failed H
114	Summers.....	SAVINGS & TRUST COS., appraisal of and loans on improvements. Amds act '69.....	Signed by Gov.
115	McCray.....	REIMBURSEMENT, H. W. Bullock, for work on compensation com. '15	Engrossed H
117	Bird.....	FISH, length restrictions. Amds act '05.....	Ord. enrolled
118	Hagerty.....	DAMAGE SUITS, by heirs of persons killed in accident.....	Ord. enrolled
120	Hudgins.....	JOINT SCHOOLS, towns and twp...	Ret. from H
121	Kinder.....	TESTIMONY, officers of corporations. Amds act '81.....	Engrossed H
122	Kolsem.....	COUNTY SUP'TS of schools, qualifications. Amds act '11.....	Indef. post. H
123	McConaha....	DRAINAGE, remonstrance. Amds act '13.....	Engrossed H
125	McCray.....	BOND, tp. trustee, tp. to pay for....	Indef. post. H
127	Reser.....	LEGISLATIVE INFORMATION BUREAU, to be under state library	Indef. post. H
128	Simmons.....	LEGALIZING, schools bonds.....	Ret. am. from H

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Bill No.	Introduced by	Subject and Effect of Proposed Legislation	Final Disposition
129	Spaan.....	INHERITANCE TAX, evasions, appraisals. Amds act '13.....	Signed by Gov.
131	Wolfson.....	BONDS, co. and tp., payable at Indianapolis banks.....	Indef. post. H
132	Beardsley.....	STATE HOUSE, ventilation and repair.....	Signed by Gov.
135	English.....	JUVENILE CRIMINAL CASES, destruction of records.....	Signed by Gov.
136	Fleming.....	WEEDS, cutting along roads.....	Engrossed am. H
139	Hirsch.....	PUBLIC UTILITIES, indefinite permit under public service commission instead of franchise. Amds act '15	Engrossed H
140	Hudgins.....	WOMEN, HOURS OF LABOR, 8 hr.	Indef. post. H
149	Thornton.....	GAS, 3 class cities, maximum rate and heat standard.....	Rep. without recom. H
150	Thornton.....	BRIDGE, Ohio river, tolls.....	Refused by Gov.
151	Wolfson.....	SALVAGE CORPS, fire ins. cos. to support.....	Signed by Gov.
155	Beardsley.....	ROADS, taxes paid in cash. Amds act '11.....	Indef. post. H
156	Gemmell.....	LOAN SHARKS.....	Law without Sig.
158	Beardley.....	TUBERCULOSIS, nurses, schools at tub. hospitals.....	Engrossed H
159	Culbertson....	DRAINAGE, maintenance boards for drains. Amds act '07.....	Signed by Gov.
161	Dorrell.....	POULTRY DEALERS, license and sale record.....	Law without Sig.
162	Elsner.....	CHARLESTOWN, Clark Co., fund transferred from school to street fund	Signed by Gov.
164	Fleming.....	KNOX CO., officers' salaries.....	Signed by Gov.
166	Kinder.....	FOREIGN EXCHANGES, license from state auditor for.....	Engrossed H
167	Kolsem.....	PARKS, 1 and 2 class cities, special elections.....	Signed by Gov.
173	Reidelbach....	WABASH AND ERIE CANAL, lands sold by, deeds.....	Signed by Gov.
178	English.....	PIONEER MOTHERS, appr. for monument to.....	Engrossed H
184	McKinley.....	PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, payment by installments extended to towns. Amds act '13.....	Law without Sig.
185	Mercer.....	PERU TOWNSHIP, Miami Co., transfer from township to school fund...	Signed by Gov.

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Bill No.	Introduced by	Subject and Effect of Proposed Legislation	Final Disposition
186	Metzger.....	PUBLIC UTILITY CORPORATIONS, fiscal year and reports. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. S
192	Simmons.....	HEALTH COM'RS., cities and towns salaries.....	Refused by Gov.
193	Spaan.....	WOMEN'S PRISON, sale and relocation.....	Indef. post. H
194	Smith.....	CIRCUIT COURTS, Pulaski and Starke, terms.....	Signed by Gov.
196	Kolsem.....	ROAD BONDS, townships, redemption (Terre Haute).....	Refused by Gov.
198	Bracken.....	STATE CHARTER BOARD, eliminating guaranty of depositors prov., Amds act '15.....	Law without Sig.
199	Elsner.....	MORTGAGES, executed in foreign countries. Amds act '93.....	Signed by Gov.
200	Erskine.....	PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT CLERKS, 2 class cities....	Indef. post. H
202	McCray.....	AUTOMOBILES, removal of serial number.....	Refused by Gov.
204	Metzger.....	TELEPHONES, liability of stockholders, repeals sec. 12 act '81.....	Law without Sig.
208	Retherford....	TEACHERS, examinations. Amds act '15.....	Indef. post. H
209	Simmons.....	DELINQUENT CHILDREN, 18 yrs. old. Amds act '07.....	Signed by Gov.
210	Thornton.....	HOUSEMAIDS, training school, New Albany.....	Indef. post. H
213	Humphreys....	ACCOUNTS, report of exam. by st. bd. to be pub. doc. Repeals sec 1-12, act '11.....	Signed by Gov.
217	McCray.....	BAILIFFS, counties of 250,000.....	Law without Sig.
218	Nejdl.....	MASONRY, state inspection.....	Engrossed H
219	Negley.....	MARKETS, municipal.....	Indef. post. H
221	Reser.....	BAILIFFS, all crim., cir. and sup. courts, pay.....	Engrossed H
222	Beardsley.....	JUDGES, Circuit and superior, salaries.....	Refused by Gov.
225	Simmons.....	SCHOOLS, township, special tax levy, Amds act '05.....	Law without Sig.
226	Spaan.....	PUBLIC UTILITIES, discriminations Amds act '13.....	Engrossed H
227	Spaan.....	WAGES, workingmen, to be preferred claims. Amds act '85.....	Law without Sig.

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230	Hagerty.....	JUSTICES OF PEACE, practice of law.....	Signed by Gov.
231	Jackson.....	ROADS, repair, county appr. when funds are exhausted.....	Indef. post. S
234	Fleming.....	DRAINS, assessments paid direct to county treas. Amds act '11.....	Ord. enrolled
235	Hagerty.....	LIABILITY AND WORKMENS COMPENSATION INSURANCE, reserve fund.....	Signed by Gov.
236	Hemphill.....	COUNTY RECORDERS, minimum salary.....	Refused by Gov.
244	Simmons.....	WORKMENS COMPENSATION, railroad employes in train service exempt from act. Amds act '15....	Law without Sig.
247	English.....	STATE CONSTABULARY, app. from national horse thief dective ass'n....	Engrossed H
250	Mercer.....	INDUSTRIAL BOARD, appeals from to Supreme court, advancement. Amds act '15.....	Signed by Gov.
257	Kolsem.....	SCHOOL BOARD, Terre Haute, to serve without salary. Amds act '11	Engrossed H
261	Negley.....	CITY PLANNING, boards, 1 2, 3 and 4 class cities.....	Indef. post. H
262	Reidelbach...	DITCHES, cleaning and repair, petition.....	Law without Sig.
264	Reser.....	REIMBURSEMENT, towns for township roads, by county. Amds act '13.....	Roads H
265	Retherford...	SUMMONS, service in civil cases..	Engrossed H
267	Wolfson.....	PURCHASING AGENT, Indpls....	Aff. Indpls. H
269	Beardsley.....	VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, federal aid.....	Signed by Gov.
270	Grant.....	COUNTY AGRICULTURAL societies county appr. for.....	Rep. fav. H
271	McKinley.....	DIVORCE, preliminary notice filed 90 days before petition. Amds act '73	Indef. post. H
272	Reser.....	STATE PARKS, county appropriations.....	Engrossed H
273	Thornton.....	MOTHERS PENSIONS.....	Indef. post. H.
276	Signs.....	SUPREME AND APPELLATE COURTS, reports, sale of. Amds act '91.....	Signed by Gov.



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281	Kinder.....	RAILROAD FARE, raising from 2 to 2½ cents. Amds act '13 .....	Rep. fav. H
286	Grant.....	DRAINAGE DISTRICTS, repeals act '15.....	Refused by Gov
288	Kinder.....	LIQUOR LICENSES, grant and renewal up to April 2, 1918 .....	Engrossed am. H
293	Negley.....	GOVERNORS' MANSION, gift of Kahn property for, by Indianapolis park board. ....	Ord. enrolled
315	McKinley.....	TEACHERS, minimum wages, Amds act '13.....	Engrossed H
327	Bird.....	FISHING, state wide license issued by co. clerk. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
329	Chambers.....	BUREAU OF STATISTICS, abolishing. Repeals act '79.....	Jud. A. H
333	Jackson.....	CHICKEN HAWKS, bounty.....	Engrossed H
338	Laney.....	CIRCUIT COURTS, 47th and 68th districts. Amds act '15.....	Engrossed H
344	Simmons.....	STATE FLAG.....	Law without Sig.
346	Simmons.....	JUDGES, supreme and appellate, salaries.....	Indef. post. H
348	McCray.....	BUSINESS DIRECTOR, of schools, salary, Indianapolis. Amds act '99	Signed by Gov.
349	Gemmill.....	HOG CHOLERA, serum, sale. Amds act '13.....	Failed H
350	Hagerty.....	MARKETS AND AUDITORIUMS, 2 class cities.....	Law without Sig.
368	Kinder.....	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, hearings, expense of. Amds act '13	Rep. fav. H
371	Chambers.....	LEGAL NOTICES, publication in papers. Amds act '13.....	Refused by Gov.
387	Thornton.....	TRADE MARKS, bottles, siphons, tins and kegs.....	Law without Sig.
390	Hirsch.....	RAILROADS, appeals to public service commission from town ordinance...	Cities & townsH
391	Grant.....	STREET LIGHTS, installation without reference to public service commission. Amds act '05.....	Engrossed H
419	Laney.....	AUTOMOBILES, liens. Amds act '13.....	Indef. post. H
421	White.....	BUILDING AND LOAN ASS'NS., examination by state auditor. Amds act '11.....	Signed by Gov.

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429	Hemphill.....	TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS, civil township to erect in certain cases.....	Law without Sig.
433	Chambers.....	PRIMARY ELECTIONS, presidential preference omitted. Amds law '13.....	
435	Negley.....	CIVIL PROCEDURE, appeals during term. Amds act '81.....	Signed by Gov.
441	Retherford....	TEACHERS' LICENSE, junior high schools.....	Signed by Gov.
446	McKinley.....	PUBLIC UTILITIES, mergers. Amds act '13.....	Ord. enrolled
452	Beardsley.....	REGISTRATION, women.....	Engrossed H Signed by Gov.

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS IN HOUSE

Resolution No.	Introduced by	Subject and Effect of Proposed Legislation	Final Disposition
1	English.....	OFFICERS TERM, prohibiting extension of term while officer is serving. Const. amendment.....	Signed by Gov.
3	English.....	STATE OFFICERS, term to be 4 years except Supreme Court judges, all state officers ineligible for re-election. Const. amendment.....	
4	English.....	COUNTY OFFICERS, 4 year term. Const. amendment.....	Engrossed H
5	English.....	SUPREME COURT JUDGES, 3 to 12 to be elected for 6 to 12 year term. Division into groups. Const. amendment.....	Engrossed H
6	English.....	ADMISSION TO BAR, Legislature to fix qualifications. Const. amendment.....	Jud. A. H
7	English.....	PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, 4 year term.....	Engrossed H
8	English.....	SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, elected for 4 year term. Const. amendment.....	Engrossed H

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esolu- tion No.	Introduced by	Subject and Effect of Proposed Legislation	Final Disposition
9	English.....	NEGROES, to become members of National guard. Const. amendment	Engrossed H
10	English.....	AMENDING CONSTITUTION, pas- sage by 1 instead of 2 legislatures and ratification by voters necessary for.....	
11	Beardsley.....	SUFFRAGE, permitting women to vote and requiring full citizenships from foreignborn. Const. amend- ment.....	Engrossed H
12	Porter.....	PROHIBITION, state wide. Con- stitutional amendment.....	Engrossed H
14	Beardsley.....	WOMAN SUFFRAGE. Const. amendment.....	Signed by Gov.
16	Simmons.....	Concerning our Nations Honor and Welfare.....	Jud. A. H

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS IN HOUSE

1	Reser.....	MONUMENT to Gen. Wm. Henry Harrison.....	Signed by Gov.
2	Hazen.....	U. S. ARMOR PLATE PLANT, urg- ing establishment at Evansville....	Signed by Gov.

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## No. 65. Introduced by MR. MOSIER, Jan. 12, 1917—

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## No. 66. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Requiring two months residence in county by female before applying for marriage license.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	88
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## No. 67. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Jan. 12, 1917—

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## Granting woman suffrage for non-constitutional officers.

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## No. 68. Introduced by MR. DUFFEY, Jan. 12, 1917—

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## No. 69. Introduced by MR. JAMESON, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Providing for vacation of insanitary dwellings on order of health officers.

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## No. 70. Introduced by MR. DYNES, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Concerning public market at Indianapolis.

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## No. 71. Introduced by MR. DYNES, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Concerning appointment of bailiffs.

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## Prohibiting parking of automobiles in Monument Place, Indianapolis.

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## No. 73. Introduced by MR. GREEN, Jan. 12, 1917—

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## No. 74. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Legalizing drainage bonds.

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## No. 75. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Providing for free text books.

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## No. 76. Introduced by MR. HESSONG, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Providing for joint town and township schools.

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## No. 77. Introduced by MR. F. E. WRIGHT, Jan. 12, 1917—

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## No. 78. Introduced by MR. F. E. WRIGHT, Jan. 12, 1917—

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No. 79. Introduced by MR. JINNETT, Jan. 12, 1917—

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No. 80. Introduced by MR. JINNETT, Jan. 12, 1917—

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No. 81. Introduced by MR. WILLIAMS, Jan. 12, 1917—

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No. 82. Introduced by MR. BARTEL, Jan. 12, 1917—

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No. 83. Introduced by MR. WALKER, Jan. 15, 1917—

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## No. 84. Introduced by MR. MOORE, Jan. 15, 1917—

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## No. 85. Introduced by MR. BEHMER, Jan. 15, 1917—

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## No. 86. Introduced by MR. HARKER, Jan. 15, 1917—

## Licensing architects.

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No. 90. Introduced by MR. WOOD, Jan. 15, 1917—

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No. 91. Introduced by MR. McCLASKEY, Jan. 15, 1917—

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No. 95. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Jan. 15, 1917—

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No. 96. Introduced by MR. MONTGOMERY, Jan. 15, 1917—

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## No. 104. Introduced by N. T. MILLER, Jan. 15, 1917—

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Passed; ayes 62, noes 34.....	390
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## Authorizing a State Year Book

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	111
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	288
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Passed; ayes 74, noes 15.....	326
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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	123
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	154
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Passed; ayes 82, noes 13.....	172
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Signed by Speaker.....	450
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<b>No. 117. Introduced by MR. E. C. DAVIS, Jan. 16, 1917—</b>	
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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	176
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Passed; ayes 74, noes 11.....	375
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Enrolled bill reported correct.....	460
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Signed by Speaker.....	450
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## No. 148. Introduced by MR. E. C. DAVIS, Jan. 18, 1917—

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## Concerning delinquent drainage taxes.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.....	115
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Passed; ayes 80, noes 0.....	221
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Passed by Senate.....	546
Enrolled bill reported correct.....	562
Signed by Speaker.....	564
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Passed as amended by Senate.....	766
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No. 235. Introduced by MR. MONTGOMERY, Jan. 25, 1917—	
Creating a State Bureau of Agriculture.	
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Referred to Senate.....	360
Passed as amended by Senate.....	693
House concurs in Senate amendments.....	695
Signed by Speaker.....	731
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No. 236. Introduced by MR. DYNES, Jan. 25, 1917—	
Concerning collections for street improvements.	
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	151
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Passed by Senate.....	766
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No. 237. Introduced by MR. JACOBY, Jan. 25, 1917—	
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No. 238. Introduced by MR. HOUGHTON, Jan. 25, 1917—	
Concerning the assessment of public utilities.	
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	152
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	184
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	215
Read third time.....	291
Passed; ayes 60, noes 27.....	291
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No. 239. Introduced by MR. MILES, Jan. 25, 1917—	
Requiring teacher's institutes to be held monthly at discretion of school officers.	
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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	207
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	246
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Referred to Senate.....	277
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Enrolled bill reported correct.....	562
Signed by Speaker.....	564
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**No. 240. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Jan. 25, 1917—**

**Concerning donations to state for parks.**

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	211
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	264
Read third time.....	291
Passed; ayes 84, noes 1.....	292
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Passed by Senate.....	424
Signed by Speaker.....	451
Enrolled bill reported correct.....	460
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**No. 241. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Jan. 25, 1917—**

**Appropriating money for encasing battle flags.**

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**Regulating burial of persons dead of contagious diseases.**

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.....	152
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**No. 243. Introduced by MR. BAYER, Jan. 25, 1917—**

**Concerning work on township roads.**

Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	152
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	405
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Passed; ayes 67, noes 6.....	598
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**No. 244. Introduced by MR. F. E. WRIGHT, Jan. 25, 1917—**

**Providing for abandonment of schools and their purchase by township.**

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	406
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	461
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No. 245. Introduced by MR. BARTEL, Jan. 25, 1917—	
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Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	510
Read third time.....	560
Passed; ayes 83, noes 4.....	560
Referred to Senate.....	560
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Concerning remonstrance against laterals in drainage works.	
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No. 250. Introduced by MR. BEHMER, Jan. 26, 1917—	
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No. 251. Introduced by MR. MILTENBERGER, Jan. 26, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	164
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No. 252. Introduced by MR. MASON, Jan. 26, 1917—

Concerning traveling expenses of circuit judges in circuits of 2 or 3 counties.

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No. 253. Introduced by MR. MENDENHALL, Jan. 26, 1917—

Legalizing repair of gravel roads.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	164
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	176
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	352
Read third time.....	418
Passed; ayes 83, noes 3.....	419
Referred to Senate.....	419
Engrossed.....	459
Passed as amended by Senate.....	693
House concurs in Senate amendments.....	695
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No. 254. Introduced by MR. MENDENHALL, Jan. 26, 1917—

Regulating speeding in cities and towns.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	164
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	346
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No. 255. Introduced by MR. C. A. DAVIS, Jan. 26, 1917—

Concerning abandonment of schools.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	164
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	406
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	479
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Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	164
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	184
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	215
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## No. 257. Introduced by MR. SOUTHARD, Jan. 26, 1917—

## Concerning voluntary associations for public parks.

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Parks.....	164
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	366
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Passed; ayes 78, noes 4.....	650
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Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	367
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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	505
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## No. 259. Introduced by MR. SWAIN, Jan. 26, 1917—

## Creating State Department of Banks and Insurance.

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Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	744
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## No. 260. Introduced by MR. DYNES, Jan. 26, 1917—

## Concerning free drinking cups on railroads and interurbans.

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Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	274
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Passed; ayes 79, noes 4.....	327
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## No. 262. Introduced by MR. JACOBY, Jan. 26, 1917—

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## Concerning transfer of orphans for school purposes.

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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	195
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	229
Read third time.....	248
Passed as amended; ayes 89, noes 0.....	248
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## No. 264. Introduced by MR. E. JOHNSON, Jan. 26, 1917—

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## Concerning consolidation of schools of townships and 5th class cities.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	165
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	283
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	355
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Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	166
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	312
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Engrossed.....	459
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Defeated; ayes 35, noes 56.....	490

No. 267. Introduced by MR. KIMMEL, Jan. 26, 1917—

Concerning bond for receivers.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	166
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Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	246
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Passed; ayes 82, noes 0.....	255
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Concerning Vicksburg Memorial Commission.

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Concerning county tuberculosis hospitals.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.....	166
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	348
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	411
Read third time.....	492
Passed; ayes 70, noes 14.....	492
Referred to Senate.....	492
Passed as amended by Senate.....	754
House concurs in Senate amendments.....	756
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No. 270. Introduced by MR. READ, Jan. 26, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.....	167
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	348
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	411
Read third time.....	497
Passed; ayes 83, noes 3.....	497
Referred to Senate.....	497
Passed by Senate.....	693
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## Concerning forfeiture of county donations to railroads.

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## No. 272. Introduced by MR. WILLIAMS, Jan. 26, 1917—

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## No. 273. Introduced by MR. N. T. MILLER, Jan. 26, 1917—

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Read third time.....	359
Passed; ayes 73, noes 15.....	359
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Signed by Speaker.....	539
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## No. 275. Introduced by MR. HARKER, Jan. 26, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	167
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## No. 277. Introduced by MR. MOSIER, Jan. 26, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Morals.....	167
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## Concerning change of venue from mayors of 5th class cities

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	176
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## No. 279. Introduced by MR. MASON, Jan. 27, 1917—

## Concerning public records of tile drains.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.....	177
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	299
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Read third time.....	393
Passed; ayes 80, noes 4.....	393
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Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.....	177
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## No. 281. Introduced by MR. MYERS, Jan. 27, 1917—

## Concerning loans of cemetery funds.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	177
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## No. 282. Introduced by MYERS-DOUGLAS, Jan. 27, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.....	177
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Engrossed.....	368
Read third time.....	397
Passed; ayes 85, noes 7.....	398
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Passed by Senate.....	693
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## No. 283 Introduced by MR. SYMONS, Jan. 27, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	177
Indefinitely postponed.....	563

## Concerning advertising in connection with the erection of county buildings.

Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	177
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	312
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	353
Read third time.....	454
Passed; ayes 72, noes 6.....	455
Referred to Senate.....	455
Engrossed.....	459

## No. 285. Introduced by MR. DAY, Jan. 27, 1917—

## Permitting fishing and hunting on Sunday

Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	177
Indefinitely postponed.....	208

## No. 286. Introduced by MR. DAY, Jan. 27, 1917—

## Creating State Building Inspection Board.

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## No. 287. Introduced by MR. SOUTHARD, Jan. 27, 1917—

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## Concerning nomination and election of representatives.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Legislative Apportionment.....	178
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Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A .....	178
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	210
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Passed; ayes 89, noes 0.....	257
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Passed by Senate.....	546

## No. 292. Introduced by MR. CURRY, Jan. 27, 1917—

## Exempting church property from taxation.

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Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	178
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## No. 294. Introduced by MR. READ, Jan. 27, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Railroads.....	178
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## No. 295. Introduced by MR. O'LEARY, Jan. 27, 1917—

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	523
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	589
Engrossed.....	630
Read third time.....	636
Passed; ayes 85, noes 6.....	636
Referred to Senate.....	637

## No. 296. Introduced by MR. BARTEL, Jan. 27, 1917—

## Concerning workmen's compensation for police and firemen.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	179
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## No. 297. Introduced by MR. BARTEL, Jan. 27, 1917—

## Concerning local workmen's compensation for police and firemen.

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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	209
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	245
Read third time.....	276
Passed; ayes 79, noes 7.....	277
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## Extending duties of State fire marshal.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	179
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	295
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	353
Engrossed.....	459
Read third time and made a special order for 4:00 p. m. Feb. 19.....	450
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Passed as amended; ayes 81, noes 0.....	469
Passed by Senate.....	714
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 299. Introduced by MR. VESEY, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Concerning parkways in 2nd class cities.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	197
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	379
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	449
Read third time.....	512
Passed; ayes 83, noes 0.....	513
Referred to Senate.....	513

## No. 300. Introduced by MR. VESEY, Jan. 30, 1917—

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## Concerning city and town libraries.

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Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	305
Read third time.....	324
Passed; ayes 81, noes 3.....	324
Referred to Senate.....	324
Passed by Senate.....	503
Enrolled bill reported correct.....	562
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## No. 302. Introduced by MR. BURTT, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Concerning Walnut Ridge Cemetery.

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Engrossed.....	459
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<b>No. 305. Introduced by MR. YODER, Jan. 30, 1917—</b>	
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<b>No. 307. Introduced by MR. C. A. JOHNSON, Jan. 30, 1917—</b>	
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<b>No. 308. Introduced by MR. SYMONS, Jan. 30, 1917—</b>	
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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	298
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	353
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Passed as amended by Senate.....	736
House concurs in Senate amendments.....	723
<b>No. 309. Introduced by MR. CRAVENS, Jan. 30, 1917—</b>	
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## Re-establishing standards for weights and measures.

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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	314
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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	435
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	508
Reported correctly engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	556
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Passed by Senate.....	788
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 311. Introduced by MR. SWAIN, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Concerning county teachers' institutes conducted by Extension Division of Indiana University.

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## Creating Sanitation Department for Indianapolis.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.....	199
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	333
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	372
Read third time.....	493
Passed as amended; ayes 86, noes 0.....	495
Referred to Senate.....	495
Passed as amended by Senate.....	723
House concurs in Senate amendments.....	731
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## No. 313. Introduced by MR. DYNES, Jan. 30, 1917—

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	311
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Read third time.....	490
Passed; ayes 55, noes 33.....	491
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## No. 314. Introduced by MR. HYLAND—

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## No. 315. Introduced by MR. GREEN, Jan. 30, 1917—

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## Concerning repair of open drains.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.....	200
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	301
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	385
Read third time.....	466
Passed as amended; ayes 73, noes 7.....	466
Referred to Senate.....	467
Passed as amended by Senate.....	786
House concurs in Senate amendments.....	786
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 316. Introduced by MR. GREEN, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Concerning repair of tile drains.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.....	200
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## No. 317. Introduced by MR. MILES, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Forbidding baseball on Sunday.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	200
Indefinitely postponed.....	252

## No. 318. Introduced by MR. DURHAM, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Providing for prisoners at the State Farm to work on roads.

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## No. 319 Introduced by MR. READ, Jan. 30, 1917—

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## No 320. Introduced by MR. WINESBURG, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Fixing date of fiscal year for public utilities and reports to Public Service Commission.

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## No. 322. Introduced by MR. CLAPP, Jan. 30, 1917—

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## No. 323. Introduced by MR. MOSIER, Jan. 30, 1917—

Concerning extension of school terms in towns.

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## No. 325. Introduced by MR. HARKER, Jan. 30, 1917—

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## No. 331. Introduced by MR. McCLASKEY, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 332. Introduced by MR. McCLASKEY, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 333. Introduced by MR. MONTGOMERY, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 336. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 337. Introduced by MR. MILES, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 338. Introduced by MR. BAYER, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 339. Introduced by MR. GORSKI, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 340. Introduced by MR. HASLANGER, Jan. 31, 1917—

## Concerning exchange of telephone service.

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## No. 343. Introduced by MR. McNAGNY, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 344. Introduced by MR. McNAGNY, Jan. 31, 1917—

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## No. 345. Introduced by MR. McGONAGLE, Feb. 1, 1917—

## Regulating transfer of stock by corporations (uniform law).

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## No. 346. Introduced by MR. COGGINS, Feb. 1, 1917—

## Making county agricultural agent permissive instead of compulsory.

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## No. 347. Introduced by MR. C. A. JOHNSON, Feb. 1, 1917—

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## No. 348. Introduced by MR. ROBERTSON, Feb. 1, 1917—

## Prohibiting fireworks.

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No. 350. Introduced by MR. C. A. DAVIS, Feb. 1, 1917—

Raising special school tax.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	225
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Defeated; ayes 43, noes 44.....	516

No. 351. Introduced by MR. McCLASKEY, Feb. 1, 1917—

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No. 352. Introduced by MR. DILWORTH, Feb. 1, 1917—

Creating a rotary fund from the sale of farm products at the State Prison.

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No. 353. Introduced by MR. DILWORTH, Feb. 1, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions....	225
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Read third time.....	419
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Read first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.....	225
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 <b>No. 355. Introduced by MR. MOSIER, Feb. 1, 1917—</b>	
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 <b>No. 356. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Feb. 1, 1917—</b>	
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 <b>No. 357. Introduced by MR. SWAIN, Feb. 1, 1917—</b>	
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No. 363. Introduced by MR. DYNES, Feb. 1, 1917—

Authorizing a monument to pioneer women and to war women.

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No. 364. Introduced by MR. WOODS, Feb. 1, 1917—

Concerning 2nd degree arson.

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Read third time.....	454
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Engrossed.....	459
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No. 365. Introduced by MR. JACOBY, Feb. 1, 1917—

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No. 366. Introduced by MR. GREEN, Feb. 1, 1917—

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## Concerning repair and maintenance of public drains.

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Passed; ayes 79, noes 0.....	395
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## No. 370. Introduced by MR. DURHAM, Feb. 1, 1917—

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Passed; ayes 65, noes 2.....	642
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No. 375. Introduced by MR. WOODS, Feb. 1, 1917—	
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Passed; ayes 90, noes 0.....	326
Referred to Senate.....	326
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House concurs in Senate amendments.....	724
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Concerning police pensions.	
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## Concerning control of joint high schools.

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## No. 382. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 2, 1917—

## Authorizing a park district for Indianapolis and contiguous territory.

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Passed as amended; ayes 72, noes 5.....	519
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## No. 383. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Feb. 2, 1917—

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Passed; ayes 55, noes 40.....	376
Referred to Senate.....	377
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## No. 387. Introduced by MR. HENKE, Feb. 2, 1917—

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## No. 389. Introduced by MR. DURHAM, Feb. 2, 1917—

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## Concerning school bonds in cities and towns.

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Engrossed.....	368
Read third time.....	392
Passed; ayes 82, noes 0.....	392
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## No. 394. Introduced by MR. ANDERSON, Feb. 3, 1917—

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## No. 395. Introduced by MR. WOODS, Feb. 3, 1917—

## Concerning who may make wills.

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## No. 396. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 3, 1917—

## Concerning election of directors of corporations.

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## No. 397. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 3, 1917—

## Concerning salaries of township assessors in 1st and 2nd class cities.

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## Requiring insurance agents to be residents of state.

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## No. 399. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Feb. 3, 1917—

## Requiring publication of expenditures of cities and towns.

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## No. 400. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Feb. 3, 1917—

## Concerning publication of legal notices.

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No. 402. Introduced by MR. MILES, Feb. 3, 1917—

Concerning qualifications of city and town school superintendents.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	254
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	297
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	355
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Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	550

No. 403. Introduced by MR. OSBORN, Feb. 3, 1917—

Requiring county to contract for burial of paupers.

Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	254
Indefinitely postponed.....	667

No. 404. Introduced by MR. OSBORN, Feb. 3, 1917—

Requiring railroads and interurbans to keep their right of way clear of trees and shrubs.

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No. 405. Introduced by MR. HEPLER, Feb. 3, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	254
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No. 406. Introduced by MR. MASON, Feb. 3, 1917—

Providing a county road building unit to supplant the 3 mile road law.

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	261
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	297
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	355
Engrossed.....	459
Read third time.....	488
Passed; ayes 56, noes 31.....	489
Referred to Senate.....	489
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## Creating a library commission to control State Library and Public Library Commission.

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Passed as amended; ayes 61, noes 5.....	520
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## No. 409. Introduced by MR. HABERMEL, Feb. 5, 1917—

## Concerning fishing with seines.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	261
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## No. 410. Introduced by MR. HABERMEL, Feb. 5, 1917—

## Providing that notification of increase in taxation be by posted notice only.

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	316
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## No. 411. Introduced by MR. N. T. MILLER, Feb. 5, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	262
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	286
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Engrossed.....	333
Read third time.....	361
Passed; ayes 79, noes 4.....	361
Referred to Senate.....	361
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House concurs in Senate amendments.....	724
Enrolled.....	735
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## No. 412. Introduced by MR. N. T. MILLER, Feb. 5, 1917—

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	567
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## No. 413. Introduced by MR. DAY, Feb. 5, 1917—

## Regulating hours of labor of women.

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Concerning city and town markets.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	262
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No. 415. Introduced by MR. E. C. DAVIS, Feb. 5, 1917—

Fixing date of payment of salaries of county officers.

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No. 416. Introduced by MR. SAMBOR, Feb. 5, 1917—

Increasing pay of school attendance officers.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	262
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No. 417. Introduced by MR. MOSIER, Feb. 5, 1917—

Concerning teachers' pensions, providing for transfer from one unit to another.

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No. 418. Introduced by MR. KUHLMAN, Feb. 5, 1917—

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No. 419. Introduced by MR. KESSLER, Feb. 5, 1917—

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No. 420. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Feb. 5, 1917—

Concerning 10th, 15th and 40th judicial circuits.

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Providing for railroad police.

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## No. 422. Introduced by MR. MILES, Feb. 5, 1917—

Authorizing an investigation of the apportionment of school funds.

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## No. 423. Introduced by MR. MILES, Feb. 6, 1917—

Authorizing cities, towns and townships to maintain kindergartens.

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## No. 424. Introduced by MR. JINNETT, Feb. 5, 1917—

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Concerning condemnation of buildings on railroad right of way, for city crossings.

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## No. 426. Introduced by MR. VESEY, Feb. 5, 1917—

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## No. 427. Introduced by MR. HARKER, Feb. 5, 1917—

Providing continuation schools for children of 14 to 16 years of age.

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Concerning sale and display of weapons.

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No. 429. Introduced by MR. ADAMS, Feb. 6, 1917—

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No. 430. Introduced by MR. EIKENBERRY, Feb. 6, 1917—

Concerning state supervision of private banks.

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No. 431. Introduced by MR. HARKER, Feb. 6, 1917—

Concerning cancellation of health insurance contracts.

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No. 433. Introduced by MR. C. A. JOHNSON, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 435. Introduced by MR. MYERS, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 440. Introduced by MR. MILES, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 445. Introduced by MR. CURRY, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 446. Introduced by MR. KIMMEL, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 448. Introduced by MR. CRONIN, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 450. Introduced by MR. VESEY, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 451. Introduced by MR. BULLER, Feb. 6, 1917—

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No. 456. Introduced by MR. SAMBOR, Feb. 6, 1917—

Concerning sessions of city court in 1st, 2d, 3rd and 4th class cities.

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No. 457. Introduced by MR. DAY, Feb. 6, 1917—

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No. 458. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Feb. 6, 1917—

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No. 459. Introduced by MR. HYLAND, Feb. 6, 1917—

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No. 460. Introduced by MR. DOUGLASS, Feb. 6, 1917—

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No. 461. Introduced by MR. KIMMEL, Feb. 6, 1917—

Concerning city attorney's fees for prosecutions of violation of city ordinances.

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No. 462. Introduced by MR. EISTERHOLD, Feb. 6, 1917—

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## No. 464. Introduced by MR. HEPLER, Feb. 6, 1917—

## Concerning county agricultural agent in counties of 84,000.

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	297
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	343
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## No. 465. Introduced by MR. WALKER, Feb. 8, 1917—

## Regulating hunting of squirrels.

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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	315
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	355
Read third time.....	420
Passed; ayes 70, noes 14.....	420
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## No. 466. Introduced by MR. HOUGHTON, Feb. 8, 1917—

## Imposing a tax on corporation franchises

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Engrossed.....	459
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Passed; ayes 59, noes 22.....	456
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## No. 467. Introduced by MR. YODER, Feb. 8, 1917—

## Regulating dairies and milk products.

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## No. 468. Introduced by MR. HABERMEL, Feb. 8, 1917—

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## No. 469. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Feb. 8, 1917—

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## No. 470. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 8, 1917—

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## No. 471. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 8, 1917—

Concerning powers of city judges as to witnesses and contempt.

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Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	348
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Passed; ayes 70, noes 10.....	513
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## No. 473. Introduced by MR. KUHLMAN, Feb. 8, 1917—

Concerning Indianapolis city jailer.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.....	304
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	347
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Passed as amended; ayes 71, noes 4.....	555
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## No. 474. Introduced by MR. WOODS, Feb. 8, 1917—

Concerning juries in the Indianapolis city court.

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	305
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No. 476. Introduced by MR. GRIFFIN, Feb. 8, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	305
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No. 477. Introduced by MR. KIMMEL, Feb. 8, 1917—

Authorizing counties to make appropriations for state parks.

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No. 478. Introduced by MR. READ, Feb. 8, 1917—

Authorizing township to make donations for city or town parks.

Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	305
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No. 479. Introduced by MR. O'LEARY, Feb. 8, 1917—

Concerning pollution of water supply from sewage.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	305
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No. 480. Introduced by MR. COOPER, Feb. 8, 1917—

Providing that mortgages must be recorded within 10 days of execution.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	305
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No. 481. Introduced by MR. BLACKMORE, Feb. 9, 1917—

Providing for the appointment by the Governor of the Attorney-General.

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No. 482. Introduced by MR. MCG

Regulating the operation of steam

Read first time and referred to C  
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No. 483. Introduced by MR. HAR

Concerning fishing with seines.

Read first time and referred to C  
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No. 484. Introduced by MR. HAR

Providing that township trustees  
years.

Read first time and referred to C  
ness.....  
Reported favorably and concurr  
Read second time and ordered e  
Read third time.....  
Passed; ayes 62, noes 11.....  
Referred to Senate.....  
Passed by Senate.....  
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No. 485. Introduced by MR. BULI

Repealing the law making county

Read first time and referred to C  
ness.....  
Reported favorably and concurr  
Read second time and ordered e  
Engrossed.....  
Read third time.....  
Defeated; ayes 22, noes 59.....

No. 486. Introduced by MR. HABJ

Concerning co-operative automobil

Read first time and referred to C  
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No. 487. Introduced by MR. HABJ

Concerning reserve fund of liability

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Providing for the prevention of forest fires.

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## No. 489. Introduced by MR. WOOD, Feb. 9, 1917—

Concerning the amount of stock in rural savings and loan associations in cities and towns of less than 25,000.

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	346
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Passed; ayes 78, noes 2.....	455
Referred to Senate.....	455

## No. 490. Introduced by MR. WOOD, Feb. 9, 1917—

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## No. 491. Introduced by MR. C. A. DAVIS, Feb. 9, 1917—

Concerning additional duties of Public Service Commission in regard to public utilities.

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	438
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## No. 492. Introduced by MR. C. A. DAVIS, Feb. 9, 1917—

Authorizing county commissioners to control roads and abolishing office of county road superintendent.

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	407
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## No. 493. Introduced by MR. CRAVENS, Feb. 9, 1917—

Concerning the Department of Vocational Education in the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

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Reported favorably and concurred in.....	475
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	543
Read third time.....	587
Passed; ayes 54, noes 15.....	587
Referred to Senate.....	588
Passed by Senate.....	763
Signed by Speaker.....	774

No. 495. Introduced by MR. DAY, Feb. 9, 1917—

Concerning justices of peace and constables.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	321
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	472
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	601
Read third time.....	651
Passed; ayes 60, noes 17.....	651
Referred to Senate.....	651

No. 496. Introduced by MR. DILWORTH, Feb. 9, 1917—

Concerning the deposit outside of the state of savings banks reserves.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banks.....	321
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	366
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	409
Read third time.....	491
Passed; ayes 79, noes 4.....	491
Referred to Senate.....	491
Passed by Senate.....	766
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No. 497. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 9, 1917—

Concerning the taxation of insurance premiums.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.....	321
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No. 498. Introduced by MR. GREEN, Feb. 9, 1917—

Limiting issue of road bonds.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	321
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No. 499. Introduced by MR. KESSLER, Feb. 9, 1917—

Fixing the amount of road tax which may be worked out.

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## No. 500. Introduced by MR. GENTRY, Feb. 9, 1917—

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## Concerning the qualifications and salary of high school teachers.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	321
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## No. 501. Introduced by MR. KIMMEL, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Providing for grant and renewal of liquor licenses up to April 2, 1918.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	321
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	346
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	386
Read third time.....	453
Passed; ayes 72, noes 2.....	453
Referred to Senate.....	453
Engrossed.....	459
Passed by Senate.....	687
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## No. 502. Introduced by MR. EISTERHOLD, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Providing for a public improvement assessment clerk for 2nd class cities.

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## No. 503. Introduced by MR. COOK, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Providing for mother's pensions.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Labor.....	321
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	408
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Engrossed.....	562
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## No. 504. Introduced by MR. WINESBURG, Feb. 9, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.....	321
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## No. 505. Introduced by MR. MILTENBERGER, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Concerning street improvements.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	322
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## No. 506. Introduced by MR. MOORE, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning lowering or reducing of water in lakes.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Rivers and Waters.....	335
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## Regulating sale and display of firearms.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	335
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	367
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	409
Read third time.....	517
Passed; ayes 59, noes 21.....	517
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## No. 508. Introduced by MR. MCGONAGLE, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning selection and qualification of grand and petit juries.

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## No. 509. Introduced by MR. YODER, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning minimum pay for teachers.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	335
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## No. 510. Introduced by MR. YODER, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning pay for teachers for legal holidays.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	335
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	401
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	461
Read third time.....	558
Defeated as amended; ayes 49, noes 37.....	559

## No. 511. Introduced by MR. COGGINS, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Authorizing county commissioners and township trustees to control roads and abolishing county road superintendent.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	335
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## No. 512. Introduced by MR. HARMON, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning attendance of witnesses in counties other than that of residence.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	336
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	525
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	589
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Read third time.....	662
Passed; ayes 70, noes 0.....	662
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## No. 513. Introduced by MR. HARMON, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning change of venue to another county.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	336
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## No. 514. Introduced by MR. COOPER, Feb. 12, 1917—

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## Regulating heavy hauling on roads.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	336
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	436
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Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	553
Passed; ayes 74, noes 3.....	553
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## No. 515. Introduced by MR. COOPER, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Providing for cutting of weeds along partition fences.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	336
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## No. 516. Introduced by MR. MENDENHALL, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning adoption and sale of text books.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	336
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	502
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Engrossed.....	589
Read third time.....	594
Passed; ayes 67, noes 7.....	594
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Passed by Senate.....	736
Signed by Speaker.....	754
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## No. 517. Introduced by MR. MENDENHALL, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Considering sidewalks in towns.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	336
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	438
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	481
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## No. 518. Introduced by MR. C. A. DAVIS, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Prohibiting fishing from shelter on ice.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	336
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	523
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## No. 519. Introduced by MR. C. A. DAVIS, Feb. 12, 1917—

## Concerning license for assistant pharmacists.

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.....	336
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## Concerning inter-county roads.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	336
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	407
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Engrossed.....	
Read third time.....	
Passed; ayes 53, noes 29.....	
Title amended.....	
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## No. 524. Introduced by MR. SAMBOR, Feb. 12, 1917—

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## Authorizing state institutions to do printing in institution plant.

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Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	641
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Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	556
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Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	462
Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	554
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No. 596. Introduced by MR. E. C. DAVIS, Feb. 15, 1917—

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Vote reconsidered and passed; ayes 51, noes 36.....	715
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No. 601. Introduced by MR. GREEN, Feb. 15, 1917—

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No. 602. Introduced by MR. HESSONG, Feb. 15, 1917—

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Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	388
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Read third time.....	597
Passed; ayes 53, noes 21.....	597
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## No. 609. Introduced by MR. HARMON, Feb. 15, 1917—

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Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	651
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Passed by Senate.....	786
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## No. 610. Introduced by MR. MASON, Feb. 15, 1917—

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## Regulating harbor improvements.

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No. 615 Introduced by MR. WESTFALL, Feb. 17, 1917—

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No. 618. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Feb. 17, 1917—

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No. 619. Introduced by MR. ALLDREDGE, Feb. 17, 1917—

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## No. 621. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 17, 1917—

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## No. 622. Introduced by MR. SIPE, Feb. 17, 1917—

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Passed; ayes 73, noes 9..... 652

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No. 655. Introduced by MR. JAMESON, Feb. 20, 1917—

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Passes; ayes 52, noes 35.....	615
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## No. 675. Introduced by MR. AXBY, Feb. 22, 1917—

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## No. 11. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Jan. 9, 1917—

Permitting contestant of will to be beneficiary.	
Received from Senate.....	118
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	120
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	175
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	202
Special order for 10:00 a. m., Wednesday.....	266
Read third time.....	330
Passed; ayes 86, noes 5.....	330
Referred to Senate.....	330
Senate concurs in House amendment.....	398

## No. 12. Introduced by SEN. THORNTON, Jan. 9, 1917--

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Providing for purchase of Old State Capitol at Corydon.

Received from Senate.....	103
Read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means .....	107
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	316
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	356
Read third time.....	483
Special order for 2:00 p. m., Feb. 26.....	483
Read third time.....	608
Passed; ayes 55, noes 37.....	609
Referred to Senate.....	609
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 15. Introduced by SEN. HAGERTY, Jan. 10, 1917--

Concerning foundation material for street improvements.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns .....	309
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	380
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed .....	462
Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	678
Passed; ayes 66, noes 10.....	679
Referred to Senate.....	679
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 17. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Jan. 10, 1917--

Authorizing temporary school loans.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns .....	309
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	500
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	548
Read third time.....	696
Passed; ayes 79, noes 0.....	696
Referred to Senate.....	696
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 18. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Jan. 10, 1917--

Shortening waiting period for workmen's compensation.

Received from Senate.....	561
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	563
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	688
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	744
Read third time.....	747
Passed; ayes 65, noes 26.....	748
Referred to Senate.....	748
Signed by Speaker.....	757

## No. 20. Introduced by SEN. McCRAY, Jan. 10, 1917—

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## Providing for release of mechanics lien.

Received from Senate.....	149
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	153
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	175
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	203
Read third time.....	266
Passed; ayes 69, noes 5.....	266
Referred to Senate.....	266
Signed by Speaker.....	356
Vetoed by Governor.....	463

## No. 21. Introduced by SEN. MERCER, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Forbidding the location of freight depots near church or school.

Received from Senate.....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	632
Indefinitely postponed.....	665

## No. 23. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEBY, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Concerning huckster's license.

Received from Senate.....	306
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	309
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	379
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	450
Engrossed.....	562

## No. 24. Introduced by SEN. RESER, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Abolishing advisory boards for vocational education.

Received from Senate.....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	340
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	440
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	482
Read third time.....	781
Passed; ayes 61, noes 22.....	781
Referred to Senate.....	781

## No. 25. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Legalizing bond levies for schools not constructed.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	374
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	473
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	532
Read third time.....	685
Passed; ayes 77, noes 0.....	686
Referred to Senate.....	686

## No. 26. Introduced by SEN. THORNTON, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Prohibiting chairmen of political parties from practicing before state boards.

Received from Senate.....	173
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	173
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	270
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	308
Read third time.....	764
Defeated; ayes 41, noes 42.....	764

## No. 29. Introduced by SEN. ENGLISH, Jan. 10, 1917—

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## Changing name of Monument Place, Indianapolis to Monument Circle.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument.....	374
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	504
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	548
Read third time.....	695
Passed; ayes 84, noes 4.....	696
Referred to Senate.....	696

## No. 30. Introduced by SEN. ENGLISH, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Exempting men over 60 years of age from jury service.

Received from Senate.....	187
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	194
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	378
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	451
Read third time.....	678
Passed; ayes 76, noes 0.....	678
Referred to Senate.....	678

## No. 34. Introduced by SEN. LANEY, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Fixing date when clerks of circuit courts take office.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts.....	309

## No. 36. Introduced by SEN. METZGER, Jan. 10, 1917—

## Granting relief to H. E. Martin.

Received from Senate.....	173
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	173
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	270
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	308
Read third time.....	677
Passed; ayes 78, noes 0.....	677
Referred to Senate.....	677

## No. 39. Introduced by SEN. THORNTON, Jan. 11, 1917—

## Prohibiting county attorneys from practicing before county commissioners.

Received from Senate.....	109
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	113
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	196
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	229
Read third time.....	289
Passed as amended; ayes 80, noes 10.....	290
Title amended.....	290
Referred to Senate.....	291
Approved by Governor.....	614



## No. 42. Introduced by SEN. DOBYNS, Jan. 12, 1917—

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## Creating a State Highway Commission.

Received from Senate.....	377
Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	374
Reported favorably, amended.....	457
Read third time.....	552
Passed; ayes 74, noes 14.....	553
Referred to Senate.....	553
Senate fails to concur in House amendments.....	736
Conference committee appointed.....	736, 753, 760
Conference report concurred in.....	785, 787
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 44. Introduced by SEN. ENGLISH, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Concerning the State Board of Forestry.

Received from Senate.....	561
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	562
Indefinitely postponed.....	620

## No. 49. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Providing that suits brought as a result of collision between persons and vehicles must be brought in county or township where accident occurred.

Received from Senate.....	124
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	128
Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary A.....	174
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	378
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	451

## No. 51. Introduced by SEN. NEJDL, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Imposing a tax on foreign fire insurance companies for firemen's pensions.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.....	310
Special order for 10:00 a. m., Feb. 23.....	538
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	613
Ordered engrossed.....	614
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	656

## No. 52. Introduced by SEN. SMITH, Jan. 12, 1917—

## Authorizing county commissioners to fill vacancies on township advisory boards.

Received from Senate.....	213
Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	214
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	314
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	510
Read third time.....	692
Passed; ayes 77, noes 2.....	692
Referred to Senate.....	692
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 53. Introduced by SEN. GREEN, Jan. 15, 1917—

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## Regulating hunting with ferrets.

Received from Senate.....	213
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	214
Indefinitely postponed.....	252

## No. 56. Introduced by SEN. LANEY, Jan. 15, 1917—

## Concerning change of venue when jury disagrees.

Received from Senate.....	213
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	214
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	346
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	510

## No. 57. Introduced by SEN. LANZ, Jan. 15, 1917—

## Concerning indebtedness of territory annexed to township.

Received from Senate.....	173
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	173
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	523
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	593
Engrossed.....	630
Read third time.....	706
Passed; ayes 81, noes 0.....	706
Title amended.....	707
Referred to Senate.....	707
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	748
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 64. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Jan. 15, 1917—

## Providing that attorney-general appoint receivers for corporations under state supervision.

Received from Senate.....	661
Read first time and referred to Committee on Corporations.....	673
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	706
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	784
Read third time.....	787

## No. 65. Introduced by SEN. REIDELBACH, Jan. 15, 1917—

## Providing for cancellation of mortgages after 20 years.

Received from Senate.....	149
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	153
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	175
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	203
Read third time.....	266
Passed; ayes 72, noes 8.....	266
Referred to Senate.....	267
Signed by Speaker.....	356
Approved by Governor.....	463

## No. 71. Introduced by SEN. GREEN, Jan. 16, 1917—

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## Concerning physicians' mileage in attending insanity inquests.

Received from Senate.....	213
Read first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.....	214
Reported favorably, and concurred in.....	238
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	264
Read third time.....	325
Defeated; ayes 44, noes 45.....	325

## No. 75. Introduced by SEN. LANZ, Jan. 16, 1917—

## Providing for consolidation of banks and trust companies.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on Banks.....	309
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	407

## No. 77. Introduced by SEN. MASTON, Jan. 16, 1917—

## Granting suffrage to women, limited to non-constitutional officers.

Received from Senate.....	329
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	340
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	476
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	535
Read third time.....	535
Passed; ayes 68, noes 24.....	536
Referred to Senate.....	536

## No. 79. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Jan. 16, 1917—

## Making the Indianapolis Health Board a clearing house for the charitable associations of the city.

Received from Senate.....	463
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	464
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	507
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	547
Engrossed.....	630

## No. 82. Introduced by SEN. REIDELBACH, Jan. 16, 1917—

## Providing for county auditoriums.

Received from Senate.....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	340
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	567
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	628

## No. 84. Introduced by SEN. VAN AUKEN, Jan. 16, 1917—

## Providing for limited separation in divorce cases.

Received from Senate.....	127
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	124

Granting judge discretion in sentencing 6 months cases to State Farm or county jail.

Received from Senate.....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on Reformatory Institutions....	340

No. 88. Introduced by SEN. BIRD, Jan. 17, 1917—

Requiring county to provide clothing for workhouse prisoners.

Received from Senate.....	149
Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	153
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	539
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	603
Read third time.....	780
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1.....	780
Referred to Senate.....	781

No. 90. Introduced by SEN. HIRSCH, Jan. 17, 1917—

Concerning installment payments for public improvements.

Received from Senate.....	213
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	214
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	252
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	274
Read third time.....	327
Passed; ayes 88, noes 0.....	327
Referred to Senate.....	327
Approved by Governor.....	614

No. 91. Introduced by SEN. HUDGINS, Jan. 17, 1917—

Combining offices of clerk and treasurer in 4th and 5th class cities.

Received from Senate.....	276
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	281
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	314
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	511
Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	595
Passed; ayes 71, noes 4.....	596
Referred to Senate.....	596
Signed by Speaker.....	676

No. 94. Introduced by SEN. LANEY, Jan. 17, 1917—

Concerning sale of school lands

Received from Senate.....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	340
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	437
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	482
Read third time.....	780
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1.....	780
Referred to Senate.....	780
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## Regulating automobiles passing stopped street cars or interurbans.

Received from Senate.....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	340
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	440
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	482
Engrossed.....	562
Read third time.....	679
Passed; ayes 70, noes 11.....	679
Referred to Senate.....	679
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	724
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 101. Introduced by SEN. HIRSCH, Jan. 18, 1917—

## Regulating fares on railroads less than 8 miles long (Corydon).

Received from Senate.....	276
Read first time and referred to Committee on Railroads.....	281
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	526
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	593
Read third time.....	694
Passed; ayes 70, noes 14.....	694
Referred to Senate.....	695
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 104. Introduced by SEN. VAN AUKEN, Jan. 18, 1917—

## Legalizing bonds for road machinery issued under law of 1913 declared unconstitutional.

Received from Senate.....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	339
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	523
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	592
Read third time.....	749
Passed; ayes 60, noes 19.....	749
Referred to Senate.....	749
Signed by Speaker.....	772

## No. 105. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Jan. 18, 1917—

## Granting a half holiday every week to State House employees.

Received from Senate.....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	632
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	671
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	735
Read third time.....	776
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1.....	777
Referred to Senate.....	777

## No. 106. Introduced by SEN. ENGLISH, Jan. 18, 1917—

## Authorizing county officers to handle funds of cemeteries.

Received from Senate.....	276
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	281
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	295
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	341
Read third time.....	680
Passed as amended; ayes 61, noes 16.....	682
Title amended.....	682
Referred to Senate.....	682
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	724
Signed by Speaker.....	756

No. 107. Introduced by SEN. VAN AUKEN, Jan. 17, 1917—

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## Concerning estates of decedent insane persons.

Received from Senate.....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	399
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	499
Read third time.....	776
Passed; ayes 84, noes 1.....	776
Referred to Senate.....	776
Signed by Speaker.....	788

No. 108. Introduced by SEN. McCRAV, Jan. 19, 1917—

## Granting appropriation for G. A. R.

Received from Senate.....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.....	632

No. 110. Introduced by SEN. METZGER, Jan. 19, 1917—

## Legalizing road construction by County Commissioners.

Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	373
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	567
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	629
Read third time.....	721
Defeated; ayes 37, noes 44.....	721

No. 112. Introduced by SEN. RETHERFORD, Jan. 19, 1917—

## Concerning bi-monthly payment of wages.

Received from Senate.....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Labor.....	399
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	540
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	602
Read third time.....	757
Defeated; ayes 45, noes 36.....	757
Vote reconsidered and defeated; ayes 42, noes 36.....	773

No. 114. Introduced by SEN. SUMMERS, Jan. 19, 1917—

## Concerning appraisal of and loans on improvements made by saving and trust companies.

Received from Senate.....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Banks.....	399
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	499
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	548
Read third time.....	692
Passed; ayes 75, noes 0.....	693
Referred to Senate.....	693
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 115. Introduced by SEN. McCRAY, Jan. 19, 1917—

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Re-imbursing H. W. Bullock for work on Workmen's Compensation Commission.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	310
Recommitted to Committee on Ways and Means.....	529
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	592
Ordered engrossed.....	674

## No. 117. Introduced by SEN. BIRD, Jan. 22, 1917—

Regulating length of fish permitted to be caught.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	374
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	440
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	482
Read third time.....	776
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1.....	776
Referred to Senate.....	776

## No. 118. Introduced by SEN. HAGERTY, Jan. 22, 1917—

Concerning damage suits brought by heirs of persons killed in accident.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	477
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	673
Read third time.....	777
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1.....	778
Referred to Senate.....	778

## No. 120. Introduced by SEN. HUDGINS, Jan. 22, 1917—

Concerning joint town and township schools.

Received from Senate.....	276
Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	281
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	298
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	344
Read third time.....	678
Passed; ayes 76, noes 0.....	678
Referred to Senate.....	678

## No. 121. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Jan. 22, 1917—

Concerning testimony of officers of corporations.

Received from Senate.....	463
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	464
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	621
Ordered engrossed.....	671

## No. 122. Introduced by SEN. KOLSEM, Jan. 22, 1917—

Concerning qualifications of county superintendents of schools.

Received from Senate.....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	399

## Concerning remonstrance against drain.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.....	374
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	502
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	547

## No. 125. Introduced by SEN. McCRAY, Jan. 22, 1917—

## Requiring township to pay for bond of township trustee.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	310
Indefinitely postponed.....	435

## No. 127. Introduced by SEN. RESER, Jan. 22, 1917—

## Placing Bureau of Legislative Information under control of State Library.

Received from Senate.....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Libraries.....	399
Indefinitely postponed.....	687

## No. 128. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Jan. 22, 1917—

## Legalizing school bonds.

Received from Senate.....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	340
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	471
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	532
Read third time.....	717
Passed as amended; ayes 74, noes 0.....	717
Referred to Senate.....	718

## No. 129. Introduced by SEN. SPAAN, Jan. 22, 1917—

## Concerning evasions and appraisals in connection with the inheritance tax.

Received from Senate.....	532
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	532
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	620
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	708
Read third time.....	740
Passed; ayes 52, noes 28.....	740
Referred to Senate.....	740
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	768
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 131. Introduced by SEN. WOLFSON, Jan. 22, 1917—

## Making county and township bonds payable at Indianapolis banks.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	532
Received from Senate.....	546
Indefinitely postponed.....	688



## No. 132. Introduced by SEN. BEARDSLEY, Jan. 25, 1917—

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Providing for the ventilation and repair of State House.

Received from Senate.....	154
Read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.....	155
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	175
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	203
Read third time.....	255
Passed; ayes 80, noes 0.....	256
Signed by speaker.....	356
Approved by Governor.....	463

## No. 135. Introduced by SEN. ENGLISH, Jan. 25, 1917—

Providing for the destruction of records in juvenile criminal cases.

Received from Senate.....	424
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	423
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	473
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	531
Read third time.....	685
Passed; ayes 81, noes 0.....	685
Referred to Senate.....	685

## No. 136. Introduced by SEN. FLEMING, Jan. 25, 1917—

Providing for the cutting of weeds along roads.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	478
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	506
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	548
Engrossed.....	630

## No. 139. Introduced by SEN. HIRSCH, Jan. 25, 1917—

Concerning interference with property or operation of public utilities.

Received from Senate.....	503
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	511
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	688
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	783

## No. 140. Introduced by SEN. HUDGINS, Jan. 25, 1917—

Regulating hours of labor of women.

Received from Senate.....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Labor.....	635
Indefinitely postponed.....	723

## No. 149. Introduced by SEN. THORNTON, Jan. 25, 1917—

Fixing gas rates and standards in 3d class cities.

Received from Senate.....	684
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## Concerning bridge tolls over Ohio River.

Received from Senate.....	276
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	281
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	402
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	462
Read third time.....	757
Passed; ayes 82, noes 1.....	758
Referred to Senate.....	758
Signed by Speaker.....	775

## No. 151. Introduced by SEN. WOLFSON, Jan. 25, 1917—

## Authorizing salvage corps in Indianapolis supported by fire insurance companies.

Received from Senate.....	276
Read first time and referred to Committee on Insurance.....	281
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	504
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	547
Read third time.....	729
Passed; ayes 72, noes 0.....	730
Title amended.....	730
Referred to Senate.....	730
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	766
Signed by Speaker.....	775

## No. 155. Introduced by SEN. BEARDSLEY, Jan. 25, 1917—

## Providing that road taxes be paid in cash.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	373
Special order for 10 a. m., Feb. 27.....	568
Indefinitely postponed.....	621

## No. 156. Introduced by SEN. GEMMELL, Jan. 25, 1917—

## Regulating petty loans and licensing brokers.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	375
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	540
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	603
Read third time.....	676
Passed; ayes 66, noes 13.....	676
Referred to Senate.....	676
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	724
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 158. Introduced by SEN. BEARDSLEY, Jan. 26, 1917—

## Providing for schools for tuberculosis nurses at tuberculosis hospitals.

Received from Senate.....	685
Read first time and referred to Committee on State Medicine.....	722
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	722
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	734

## Concerning maintenance boards for drains.

Received from Senate.....	503
Read first time and referred to Committee on Swamp Lands.....	511
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	567
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	630
Read third time.....	713
Passed; ayes 87, noes 0.....	713
Referred to Senate.....	713
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 161. Introduced by SEN. DORREL, Jan. 26, 1917—

## Licensing poultry dealers.

Received from Senate.....	424
Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	423
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	503
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	548
Read third time.....	693
Passed; ayes 67, noes 23.....	693
Referred to Senate.....	642
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 162. Introduced by SEN. ELSNER, Jan. 26, 1917—

## Authorizing transfer from school to street fund, Charlestown, Clark Co.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	373
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	437
Read third time.....	741
Passed; ayes 61, noes 5.....	742
Referred to Senate.....	742
Signed by Speaker.....	756

## No. 164. Introduced by SEN. FLEMING, Jan. 42, 1917—

## Concerning officers' salaries in Knox Co.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.....	423
Received from Senate.....	424
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	528
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	593
Read third time.....	729
Passed as amended; ayes 68, noes 0.....	729
Referred to Senate.....	729
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	766
Signed by Speaker.....	781

## No. 166. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Jan. 26, 1917—

## Licensing foreign exchanges.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	373
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	500
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	549

Concerning park districts for 2nd class cities.

Received from Senate. ....	339
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns. ....	339
Reported favorably and concurred in. ....	437
Read second time and ordered engrossed. ....	510
Read third time. ....	538
Passed; ayes 87, noes 0. ....	538
Referred to Senate. ....	539

No. 173. Introduced by SEN. REIDELBACH, Jan. 26, 1917—

Granting deeds for lands sold by the State and by the Wabash and Erie Canal.

Received from Senate. ....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A. ....	399
Reported favorably and concurred in. ....	621
Read second time and ordered engrossed. ....	708
Read third time. ....	779
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1. ....	779
Referred to Senate. ....	779
Signed by Speaker. ....	788

No. 177. Introduced by SEN. WOLFSON, Jan. 26, 1917—

Concerning dissolution of corporations for which receiver has been appointed.

Received from Senate. ....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Corporations. ....	399
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in. ....	528
Read second time and ordered engrossed. ....	593
Engrossed. ....	630
Read third time. ....	777
Passed; ayes 84, noes 1. ....	777
Referred to Senate. ....	777

No. 178. Introduced by SEN. ENGLISH, Jan. 29, 1917—

Granting appropriation for a monument to pioneer mothers.

Received from Senate. ....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means. ....	632
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in. ....	
Read second time and ordered engrossed. ....	727
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed. ....	734

No. 184. Introduced by SEN. McKINLEY, Jan. 29, 1917—

Providing for installment payments on Public improvements in towns.

Received from Senate. ....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns. ....	633
Read second time and ordered engrossed. ....	727, 735
Read third time. ....	763
Passed; ayes 58, noes 21. ....	763
Referred to Senate. ....	763
Signed by Speaker. ....	788

No. 185. Introduced by SEN. MERCER, Jan. 29, 1917—

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Authorizing transfer from township to school fund, Peru Township, Miami Co.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A . . . . .	373
Reported favorably and concurred in . . . . .	621
Ordered engrossed . . . . .	673
Read third time . . . . .	730
Passed; ayes 74, noes 0 . . . . .	730
Referred to Senate . . . . .	730
Signed by Speaker . . . . .	756

No. 186. Introduced by SEN. METZGER, Jan. 29, 1917—

Concerning the fiscal year and reports of public utility corporations.

Received from Senate . . . . .	463
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A . . . . .	464
Reported favorably and concurred in . . . . .	649
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed . . . . .	707
Read third time . . . . .	746
Passed; ayes 59, noes 27 . . . . .	746
Title amended . . . . .	747
Referred to Senate . . . . .	747

No. 192. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Jan. 29, 1917—

Concerning salaries of city and town health commissioners.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries . . . . .	478
Reported favorably and concurred in . . . . .	
Ordered engrossed . . . . .	674
Read third time . . . . .	758
Passed; ayes 68, noes 8 . . . . .	758
Referred to Senate . . . . .	758
Signed by Speaker . . . . .	775

No. 193. Introduced by SEN. SPAAN, Jan. 29, 1917—

Providing for sale and relocation of Woman's Prison.

Received from Senate . . . . .	654
Read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means . . . . .	656
Indefinitely postponed . . . . .	672

No. 194. Introduced by SEN. SMITH, Jan. 29, 1917—

Concerning terms of circuit court in Pulaski and Starke Counties.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Organization of Courts . . . . .	471
Reported favorably and concurred in . . . . .	529
Read second time and ordered engrossed . . . . .	593
Read third time . . . . .	779
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1 . . . . .	780
Referred to Senate . . . . .	780
Signed by Speaker . . . . .	788

**Providing for redemption of township road bonds (Terre Haute).**

Received from Senate .....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns .....	634
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	671
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	731
Read third time .....	774
Passed; ayes 73, noes 3 .....	774
Referred to Senate .....	774
Signed by Speaker .....	788

**No. 198. Introduced by SEN. BRACKEN, Jan. 30, 1917—**

**Eliminating provision for guaranty of depositors from application for State charter.**

Read first time and referred to Committee on Banks .....	424
Received from Senate .....	424
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	499
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	549
Read third time .....	728
Passed; ayes 70, noes 11 .....	729
Referred to Senate .....	729
Signed by Speaker .....	756

**No. 199. Introduced by SEN. ELSNER, Jan. 30, 1917—**

**Concerning mortgages executed in foreign countries.**

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B .....	373
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	477
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	57
Read third time .....	
Passed; ayes 70, noes 2 .....	
Referred to Senate .....	

**No. 200. Introduced by SEN. ERSKINE, Jan. 30, 1917—**

**Providing public improvement assessment clerks for 2nd class cities.**

Read first time and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries ..	
Indefinitely postponed .....	

**No. 202. Introduced by SEN. McCRAY, Jan. 30, 1917—**

**Prohibiting removal of automobile serial number.**

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal	
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	
Read third time .....	
Passed; ayes 80, noes 0 .....	
Referred to Senate .....	
Signed by Speaker .....	

## Concerning liability of stockholders in telephone companies.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Telephone and Telegraph . . .	424
Received from Senate . . . . .	424
Reported favorably and concurred in . . . . .	569
Read second time and ordered engrossed . . . . .	623
Read third time and made special order for 3 p. m., Mar. 2 . . . . .	695
Read third time . . . . .	709
Passed as amended; ayes 62, noes 30 . . . . .	710
Senate concurs in House amendments . . . . .	748
Recalled by Senate . . . . .	756
Signed by Speaker . . . . .	775

## No. 208. Introduced by SEN. RETHERFORD, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Concerning teachers examinations.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education . . . . .	374
Indefinitely postponed . . . . .	474

## No. 209. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Raising the age of delinquent girls to 18 years.

Received from Senate . . . . .	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code . . . . .	633
Reported favorably and concurred in . . . . .	687
Read second time and ordered engrossed . . . . .	732
Read third time . . . . .	767
Passed; ayes 63, noes 12 . . . . .	767
Referred to Senate . . . . .	767
Signed by Speaker . . . . .	788

## No. 210. Introduced by SEN. THORNTON, Jan. 30, 1917—

## Providing a housemaids' training school for negro girls at New Albany.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B . . . . .	478
Recommitted to Ways and Means . . . . .	521
Indefinitely postponed . . . . .	567

## No. 213. Introduced by SEN. HUMPHREYS, Feb. 1, 1917—

## Providing that reports of examination of public accounts be filed with Auditor of State.

Received from Senate . . . . .	463
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges . . . . .	464
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in . . . . .	541
Read second time and ordered engrossed . . . . .	602
Read third time . . . . .	675
Passed; ayes 87, noes 0 . . . . .	675
Referred to Senate . . . . .	675
Senate concurs in House amendments . . . . .	736
Signed by Speaker . . . . .	756

Received from Senate .....	398
Recommitted to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis .....	434
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	474
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	531
Read third time .....	772
Passed; ayes 64, noes 16 .....	773
Referred to Senate .....	773
Signed by Speaker .....	788

No. 218. Introduced by SEN. NEJDL, Feb. 1, 1917—

Providing for state inspection of masonry.

Received from Senate .....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B. ....	633
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	727, 734

No. 219. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Feb. 1, 1917—

Concerning municipal markets.

Received from Senate .....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns .....	398
Indefinitely postponed .....	620

No. 221. Introduced by SEN. RESER, Feb. 1, 1917—

Concerning pay of bailiffs.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A. ....	478
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	499
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	549

No. 222. Introduced by SEN. BEARDSLEY, Feb. 1, 1917—

Concerning salaries of judges of circuit and superior courts.

Received from Senate .....	561
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B. ....	562
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in .....	566
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed .....	628
Engrossed .....	661
Read third time .....	675
Defeated; ayes 47, noes 38 .....	675
Vote reconsidered and passed; ayes 54, noes 26 .....	736
Referred to Senate .....	737
Senate concurs in House amendments .....	748
Signed by Speaker .....	757

No. 225. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Feb. 1, 1917—

Concerning the special tax levy for township schools.

Received from Senate .....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Education .....	607
Ordered engrossed .....	674
Read third time .....	711
Passed; ayes 54, noes 25 .....	711
Referred to Senate .....	711
Signed by Speaker .....	77



## No. 226. Introduced by SEN. SPAAN, Feb. 1, 1917—

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## Concerning discriminations by Public Utilities.

Received from Senate.....	685
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in .....	706
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	782

## No. 227. Introduced by SEN. SPAAN, Feb. 1, 1917—

## Making workmen's wages preferred claims.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	478
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	565
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	629
Read third time.....	774
Passed; ayes 58, noes 16.....	774
Referred to Senate.....	774
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 229. Introduced by SEN. ERSKINE, Feb. 1, 1917—

## Concerning graduation of capital stock of banks.

Received from Senate.....	561
Read first time and referred to Committee on Banks.....	563
Indefinitely postponed.....	645

## No. 230. Introduced by SEN. HAGERTY, Feb. 2, 1917—

## Concerning practice of law by justice of peace.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	477
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	649
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	708
Read third time.....	775
Passed; ayes 84, noes 2.....	775
Referred to Senate.....	776
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 234. Introduced by SEN. FLEMING, Feb. 2, 1917—

## Providing that drain assessment be paid direct to county treasurer.

Received from Senate.....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.....	398
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in .....	501
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	549
Read third time.....	730
Passed; ayes 75, noes 0.....	731
Referred to Senate.....	731
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	772

## No. 235. Introduced by SEN. HAGERTY, Feb. 5, 1917—

## Concerning reserve fund for liability and workmen's compensation insurance.

Received from Senate.....	748
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	749
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	755
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	755
Read third time.....	755
Passed; ayes 77, noes 4.....	756
Referred to Senate.....	756
Signed by Speaker.....	788

No. 236. Introduced by SEN. HEMPHIL.

Concerning salary of county recorders.

Received from Senate.....  
Read first time and referred to Commit  
Read second time and ordered engrossed  
Read third time.....  
Passed; ayes 81, noes 0.....  
Referred to Senate.....  
Signed by Speaker.....

No. 244. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS,

Exempting railroad employes from workm

Received from Senate.....  
Read first time and referred to Commit  
Reported favorably and concurred in...  
Read second time and ordered engrossed  
Read third time.....  
Passed; ayes 75, noes 0.....  
Referred to Senate.....  
Signed by Speaker.....

No. 247. Introduced by SEN. ENGLISH, F

Providing for a state constabulary appoint  
Detective Association.

Received from Senate.....  
Read first time and referred to Commit  
Reported favorably and concurred in....  
Read second time and ordered engrossed.

No. 250. Introduced by SEN. MERCER, F

Providing for advancement of appeals from

Received from Senate.....  
Read first time and referred to Commit  
Reported favorably and concurred in...  
Ordered engrossed.....  
Read third time.....  
Passed; ayes 73, noes 5.....  
Referred to Senate.....  
Signed by Speaker.....

No. 257. Introduced by SEN. KOLSEM, Fel

Providing that the Terre Haute school board

Received from Senate.....  
Read first time and referred to Committee  
Reported favorably, amended and concurr  
Read second time and ordered engrossed..

Permitting motion pictures on Sunday.

Received from Senate.....	503
Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.....	511
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	569
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	653
Read third time.....	741
Passed; ayes 51, noes 35.....	741
Referred to Senate.....	741
Conference Committee report adopted.....	742
Senate fails to concur in House amendments.....	751
Conference Committee appointed.....	751, 753
Conference Committee report adopted.....	766
Signed by Speaker.....	775

No. 261. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Feb. 7, 1917—

Providing for city planning board for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th class cities.

Received from Senate.....	654
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.....	656
Indefinitely postponed.....	722

No. 262. Introduced by SEN. REIDELBACH, Feb. 7, 1917—

Concerning cleaning and repair of ditches.

Received from Senate.....	398
Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes.....	398
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	500
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	552
Read third time.....	686
Passed as amended; ayes 71, noes 2.....	686
Referred to Senate.....	687
Signed by Speaker.....	757

No. 264. Introduced by SEN. RESER, Feb. 7, 1917—

Providing that county reimburse town for township roads.

Received from Senate.....	654
Read first time and referred to Committee on Roads.....	656

No. 265. Introduced by SEN. RETHERFORD, Feb. 7, 1917—

Concerning service of summons in civil cases.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	479
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in.....	565
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	627

No. 266. Introduced by SEN. VAN AUKEN, Feb. 7, 1917—

Abolishing records of supreme and appellate courts.

Received from Senate.....	546
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A.....	532
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	697
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	744
Read third time.....	747
Passed; ayes 61, noes 33.....	747
Title amended.....	747
Referred to Senate.....	747

## Providing for a purchasing agent for Indianapolis.

Received from Senate.....	685
Read first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.....	

## No. 269. Introduced by SEN. BEARDSLEY, Feb. 7, 1917—

## Providing for acceptance of federal aid for vocational education.

Received from Senate.....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	608
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	613
Read third time.....	778
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1.....	778
Referred to Senate.....	778
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 270. Introduced by SEN. GRANT, Feb. 7, 1917—

## Authorizing county to make appropriations to county agricultural societies.

Received from Senate.....	614
Read first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture.....	618
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	727

## No. 271. Introduced by SEN. McKINLEY, Feb. 7, 1917—

## Providing that a preliminary notice be filed 90 days prior to divorce petition.

Received from Senate.....	463
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	464
Indefinitely postponed.....	565

## No. 272. Introduced by SEN. RESER, Feb. 8, 1917—

## Providing for county appropriations for state parks.

Received from Senate.....	309
Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	310
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	407
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	462

## No. 273. Introduced by SEN. THORNTON, Feb. 8, 1917—

## Providing pensions for mothers.

Received from Senate.....	463
Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	463
Indefinitely postponed.....	671

## Concerning sale of the reports of the supreme and appellate courts.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A .....	479
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	649
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	708
Read third time .....	741
Passed: ayes 59, noes 14 .....	741
Referred to Senate .....	741
Signed by Speaker .....	757

## No. 281. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Raising railroad fares from 2 to 2½ cents.

Received from Senate .....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Railroads .....	608
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	670
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	786
Indefinitely postponed .....	787

## No. 286. Introduced by SEN. GRANT, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Repealing drainage district law of 1915.

Received from Senate .....	503
Read first time and referred to Committee on Drains and Dikes .....	512
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	569
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	628
Read third time .....	696
Passed: ayes 81, noes 2 .....	697
Referred to Senate .....	697
Signed by Speaker .....	756

## No. 288. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Providing for grant and renewal of liquor licenses up to April 2, 1918.

Received from Senate .....	463
Read first time and referred to Committee on Public Morals .....	464
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in .....	646

## No. 293. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Feb. 9, 1917—

## Accepting gift of Kahn property for Governor's mansion by Indianapolis Park Board.

Received from Senate .....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A .....	608
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	692
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	784
Read third time .....	784
Passed: ayes 74, noes 2 .....	785
Referred to Senate .....	785

No. 315. Introduced by SEN. McKINLEY, Feb. 12, 1917—

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## Concerning minimum wages for teachers.

Received from Senate .....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Education .....	607
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	670
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	787

No. 327. Introduced by SEN. BIRD, Feb. 13, 1917—

## Providing for a state wide license to fish and hunt to be issued by county.

Received from Senate .....	561
Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code .....	563
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	620
Ordered engrossed .....	674
Read third time .....	766
Indefinitely postponed .....	766

No. 329. Introduced by SEN. CHAMBERS, Feb. 13, 1917—

## Abolishing Bureau of Statistics.

Received from Senate .....	678
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A .....	

No. 333. Introduced by SEN. JACKSON, Feb. 13, 1917—

## Placing a bounty on chicken hawks.

Received from Senate .....	614
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges .....	617
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	645
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	708

No. 336. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Feb. 13, 1917—

## Place all funeral directors under supervision of State Board of Embalmers.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B .....	478
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	565
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	629
Read third time .....	718
Passed; ayes 64, noes 20 .....	718
Referred to Senate .....	719
Signed by Speaker .....	756

No. 337. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Feb. 13, 1917—

## Increasing powers of tax assessors.

Received from Senate .....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A .....	634
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	687
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	732
Read third time .....	775
Passed; ayes 81, noes 0 .....	775
Referred to Senate .....	775
Signed by Speaker .....	788

## No. 338. Introduced by SEN. LANEY, Feb. 13, 1917—

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Concerning 47th and 68th judicial circuits.

Received from Senate.....	685
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	744
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	783

## No. 344. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Feb. 13, 1917—

Authorizing a State flag.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.....	673
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	687
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	734
Read third time.....	773
Passed; ayes 63, noes 15.....	773
Referred to Senate.....	773
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 346. Introduced by SEN. SIMMONS, Feb. 13, 1917—

Concerning salaries of judges of supreme and appellate court.

Received from Senate.....	594
Indefinitely postponed.....	691

## No. 348. Introduced by SEN. McCRAY, Feb. 13, 1917—

Increasing salary of Business Director of Indianapolis Schools.

Received from Senate.....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.....	607
Ordered engrossed.....	674
Read third time.....	756
Passed; ayes 79, noes 0.....	757
Referred to Senate.....	757
Signed by Speaker.....	772

## No. 349. Introduced by SEN. GEMMILL, Feb. 14, 1917—

Regulating sale hog cholera serum.

Received from Senate.....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	607
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	670
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	732
Read third time.....	759
Defeated; ayes 8, noes 76.....	759
Referred to Senate.....	759

## No. 350. Introduced by SEN. HAGERTY, Feb. 14, 1917—

Concerning markets and auditoriums in 2nd class cities.

Received from Senate.....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.....	607
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	612
Read third time.....	728
Passed; ayes 81, noes 0.....	728
Referred to Senate.....	728
Signed by Speaker.....	747, 756

No. 368. Introduced by SEN. KINDER, Feb. 14, 1917—

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## Concerning expense of hearings before the Public Service Commission.

Received from Senate .....	754
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A .....	757
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	771

No. 371. Introduced by SEN. CHAMBERS, Feb. 15, 1917—

## Concerning publication of legal notices.

Received from Senate .....	748
Read first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges .....	749
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	749
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	750
Read third time .....	750
Passed as amended; ayes 78, noes 2 .....	750
Senate concurs in House amendments .....	772
Signed by Speaker .....	775

No. 387. Introduced by SEN. THORNTON, Feb. 16, 1917—

## Regulating trade marks on bottles, syphons, etc.

Received from Senate .....	751
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary A .....	757
Reported favorably and concurred in .....	764
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	764
Read third time .....	764
Passed; ayes 67, noes 5 .....	765
Referred to Senate .....	765
Signed by Speaker .....	788

No. 390. Introduced by SEN. HIRSCH, Feb. 16, 1917—

## Providing for appeals to Public Service Commission from town ordinances.

Received from Senate .....	685
Read first time and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns .....	

No. 391. Introduced by SEN. GRANT, Feb. 16, 1917—

## Providing for installation of street lights without reference to the Public Service Commission.

Received from Senate .....	687
Reported favorably, amended and concurred in .....	716
Read second time and ordered engrossed .....	784

No. 419. Introduced by SEN. LANEY, Feb. 21, 1917—

## Concerning liens on automobiles.

Received from Senate .....	627
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B .....	636



## No. 421. Introduced by SEN. WHITE, Feb. 21, 1917—

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## Concerning examination of building and loan associations by Auditor of State.

Received from Senate.....	684
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	735
Read third time.....	759
Passed; ayes 61, noes 13.....	759
Referred to Senate.....	759
Signed by Speaker.....	772

## No. 429. Introduced by SEN. HEMPHILL, Feb. 22, 1917—

## Providing that civil townships may erect schools in certain cases.

Received from Senate.....	661
Read first time and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.....	673
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	754
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	754
Read third time.....	754
Passed; ayes 71, noes 0.....	754
Referred to Senate.....	754
Signed by Speaker.....	772

## No. 433. Introduced by SEN. CHAMBERS, Feb. 22, 1917—

## Concerning primary elections.

Received from Senate.....	654
Read first time and referred to Committee on Elections.....	656
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	666
Read second time, amended and ordered engrossed.....	707
Read third time.....	737
Passed as amended; ayes 61, noes 19.....	739
Title amended.....	740
Referred to Senate.....	740
Senate concurs in House amendments.....	766
Signed by Speaker.....	788

## No. 435. Introduced by SEN. NEGLEY, Feb. 22, 1917—

## Concerning appeals during term.

Received from Senate.....	562
Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.....	562
Reported favorably as amended and concurred in.....	566
Read second time and ordered engrossed.....	604
Read third time.....	604
Passed; ayes 84, noes 0.....	604
Referred to Senate.....	604
Senate fails to concur in House amendments.....	614
Conference Committee appointed.....	614
Conference Committee report.....	616
Approved by Governor.....	677

## No. 441. Introduced by SEN. RETHERFORD, Feb. 23, 1917—

## Concerning license for teachers of junior high schools.

Received from Senate.....	638
Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.....	606
Reported favorably and concurred in.....	613
Read third time.....	778
Passed; ayes 83, noes 1.....	779
Referred to Senate.....	779

No. 446. Introduced by SEN. M

Regulating mergers of public uti

Received from Senate.....

Reported favorably and concu

Read second time and order

No. 452. Introduced by SEN. B1

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Passed; ayes 81, noes 0.....

Referred to Senate.....

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